

CORRECT on all occasions

VULCAIN

SWISS MADE

CHINA MAIL

Established 1845

No. 35213 WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 1952. Price 20 Cents

KOMET

THE SMALL CALCULATING MACHINE

Only HK\$175

Hongkong Typewriter Exchange

9 D'Aguilar St. Tel: 21433

COMMENT OF THE DAY

Time For Action

THE incredible situation at the Koje Island POW camp is fast becoming beyond comprehension. Brigadier-General Boatner, the new commandant, now has to admit that "We (the UN command) have control of the prison camp outside the barbed wire, but we do not have control inside." And if that were not preposterous enough, he has to suggest that "it is impossible to control 6,000 men if they don't want to be controlled and are under Communist subversive control inside." This is complete nonsense. In the light of such a mental attitude as that possessed by General Boatner, (and recalling the earlier fiasco of Brigadier Dodd and Brigadier Colson) Mr. Attlee and his colleagues can hardly be blamed for suggesting in the House of Commons that if the British authorities had been in control none of the recent events would have happened. The impression gained is that the American camp commandants have confused humanness with supineness.

ACCORDING to the principles laid down at the Geneva Convention of 1929, "Prisoners of war must at all times be humanely treated. Likewise protected, particularly against acts of violence or intimidation and against insults." There is nothing, however, in the Geneva Convention which says prisoners of war shall be given such freedom that they are in a position to make for themselves lethal weapons, plot insurrection, kidnap officers, hold drumhead trials and condemn fellow prisoners to death: in general to be able to place themselves above the authority and jurisdiction of their captors. The incidents at Koje Island camp expose the distressing inefficiency of the senior officers in charge who represent the United Nations Command. Moreover, any further display of ineptitude will automatically reflect on the Commonwealth troops which have been called in to assist in restoring order. Clearly this consideration was at the back of Mr. Lester Pearson's mind when he expressed his concern to the State Department over the sending of Canadian troops to the island without prior consultation with or approval of the Canadian Government.

BRIGADIER Boatner has felt it necessary to admonish British troops not to be over-zealous in their duties at Koje Island because if there is any chance of their actions being misunderstood, "Communist propagandists will misunderstand them." The Commandant is, to say the least, a trifle naive. Communist propagandists care very little what actions are actually taken by anybody; the propagandists usually invent them and carry on from there. Much more to the point at this time is the task of rendering it impossible for the Communist POWs on Koje Island to remain complete masters of the camp, to impose their own will when and how they like, and to create intolerable situations such as those which started with, and have succeeded with, the kidnapping of General Dodd. What is called for now is some realistic and effective action; and this need not in any way violate either the letter, or the spirit of the Geneva Convention.

E. German Forces Clearing Frontier Sites

CONSTRUCTING TANK TRAPS

No-Man's-Land Ban To West Germans

Berlin, May 27. The Government of Lower Saxony, West Germany, tonight announced that East German units all along the frontier facing their province were clearing a 30-foot wide lane of trees and other obstacles.

The official statement said that what appeared to be tank traps were being built in a three-mile belt.

Firing lanes which would give sentries or command posts command of every inch of the frontier were also being constructed, the announcement said.

Meanwhile, the East German Information Ministry announced today that a no-man's land three miles and one furlong wide will be created inside the East German border with West Germany.

People who want to travel into this area must apply for a special permit from the People's Police.

Stranded Plane: All Safe

London, May 27. The 10 passengers and eight crew members of the British Overseas Airways Corporation plane which made a forced landing in French West Africa yesterday are all safe, it was stated here tonight.

A Corporation official said that confirmation of their safety had been received here.

The Hermes, bound from London for Lagos, Nigeria, came down on the edge of the Sahara Desert, about 48 miles from Atar.

Officials in London tonight still did not know why its landing was a considerable distance off the normal London-Lagos course.

A relief plane from London flew over the scene today. Earlier, a doctor and two nurses were parachuted to the Hermes which had landed on soft sand.

BOAC's Deputy Operations Director, Captain J. Harrington, who flew in the relief aircraft, radioed that the Hermes' port wing appeared to be damaged. He said that there was considerable activity around the aircraft. Crews and passengers were seen waving and walking around.

AMPHIBIAN CRASHES

Port Angeles, May 27. A Coast Guard PBM amphibian plane crashed shortly after taking off from the Coast Guard station here today, killing four crewmen but leaving eight survivors.

Eight men were rescued from south of Port Angeles Bay, scene of the crash, and two of them were seriously injured. Five had minor injuries and one was unhurt.

Officials at the naval air station said the plane, on a flight to Prince Rupert in British Columbia, climbed to 100 feet on its take-off, then suddenly fell into the Bay.—United Press.

Burmese Troops Capture Nationalist General

Rangoon, May 27. Burmese Government forces fighting Chinese Nationalists in the Kentung area, on the Burma-Thai (Siam) border, have captured Major-General Li Su-fai, second in command to General Li Mi, it was announced today.

Chinese Nationalist troops commanded by General Li Mi were earlier this month reported to have been raiding and looting towns and villages on Burma's eastern frontier. They are part of a force of up to 10,000 Chinese troops who withdrew into Burma from Yunnan in 1950.

After interrogation General Li Su-fai was ordered to be detained in a central Burma camp, it was reported.

Forty-four Chinese Nationalist troops were reported today to have been killed in a border clash with Burmese Government forces.

Burma Government forces, in a surprise sweep, captured the district headquarters of Communist and Karen rebels in Mong Hsat, 300 miles south of Rangoon, it was officially announced here.

Rebels paralysed the train service between Shweda, 30 miles north of Mandalay, and Myittha, capital of the tribal Kachin State, by blowing up a vital railway bridge.—Reuter.

Roses On Ice



With the temperature in the marquee soaring into the 80's, flowers and plants at the Chelsea Flower Show last week started to wilt away. Nurseries turned on hoses and sprayed the stands with water in a vain attempt to save the plants, while one exhibitor, as the above picture illustrates, placed specimen blooms of cream and pink roses on ice to stop them from opening in the heat.—London Express photo.

Text Of Tripartite Declaration

Paris, May 27. Text of the tripartite declaration issued in Paris today by the United States, Britain and France follows:

The Governments of France, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and the United States of America have signed conventions with the German Federal Republic which will establish a new relationship with that country.

These conventions, as well as the treaties for a European Defence Community and a European coal and steel community, of which France is a signatory, provide a new basis for uniting Europe and for the realization of Germany's partnership in the European community. They are designed to prevent the resurgence of former tensions and conflicts among the free nations of Europe and any future revival of aggressive militarism.

They make possible the removal of the special restrictions hitherto imposed on the Federal Republic of Germany and permit its participation as an equal partner in Western defence and treaties.

These conventions and treaties respond to the desire to provide by united efforts for the prosperity and security of Western Europe. The governments of the United Kingdom and the United States consider that the establishments and development of these institutions of the European community correspond to their own basic interests and will therefore lend them every possible co-operation and support.

COMMON ENTERPRISE

Moreover, Western defence is a common enterprise in which the governments of the United Kingdom and the United States are already partners through membership of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

These bonds are now strengthened by the system of reciprocal guarantees agreed to between the member states of the European Defence Community and the United Kingdom and also between these member states and member states of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

For these various reasons, including the fact that these new guarantees will apply to the states concerned only as members of one of the other of these organizations, the governments of the United Kingdom and the United States have an abiding interest, as has the government of France, in the effectiveness of the treaty creating the European Defence Community and in the strength and integrity of that Community.

Accordingly, if any action from whatever quarter threatens the integrity or unity of the Community, the governments will regard this as a threat to their own security.

They will act in accordance with Article Four of the North Atlantic Treaty.

Moreover, they have each expressed their resolve to station such forces on the continent of Europe, including the Federal Republic of Germany, as they deem necessary and appropriate to contribute to the joint defence of the North Atlantic Treaty area, have regard to their obligations under the North Atlantic

US TROOPS AMBUSHED BY REDS

Pusan, May 27. Communist guerrillas raided and burned an American engineering unit's camp 10 miles north of Pusan on Friday, killing five United States soldiers and a Korean houseboy.

The raiders attacked with hand grenades.

They wounded two other American soldiers and a Korean labourer.

They escaped to the hills with two Allied machine-guns, seven rifles and 700 rounds of ammunition.

The Army's disclosure of the raid came shortly after the Republic of Korea clamped martial law on the Pusan area in an effort to curb guerrilla activities and to check anticipated pre-election violence.

There is unofficial speculation that escaped prisoners of war might be among the guerrillas who, the Government announcement said, "show growing activities."

The Army said that the guerrillas swept down from the hills at midnight to loot small unit camped in a gravel pit a few miles away from other Allied troops.—United Press.

Narrow Escape From Death

Seoul, May 27. Arthur Hays Sulzburger, publisher of the New York Times on tour of Korea, had a narrow escape from death today when a Marine helicopter made a forced landing in a rice paddy North of Seoul.

Sulzburger was accompanied by his son Arthur Jr., a Marine Reserve Second Lieutenant on duty in Korea, and Harold Hinton of the Times' Washington Bureau.

No one was hurt in the landing.

Sulzburger, wearing army combat fatigue clothing and boots, "hiked" with the others across the paddy to the Uijongbu road where a jeep met them and took them to the First Corps Headquarters.—Associated Press.

Non-Smoking Grocer's Fortune

London, May 27. David Greig, Brixton grocer, who left £213,281 gross in his will published today, vowed at 22, when he opened his first small shop, that he would not smoke till he had made £10,000.

When he made it he extended the vow to another £10,000.

When he died in January, his company controlled 200 shops—and still he had not smoked.—Reuter.

Ridgway Gets Down To His New Job

Paris, May 27. General Matthew B. Ridgway arrived here today to take over from General Dwight Eisenhower as Atlantic Supreme Commander in Europe and went to work immediately with a surprise visit to SHAPE for a first briefing with his new staff.

Within a few hours of stepping from a trans-Atlantic plane he was meeting his senior officers in the office of General Alfred Gruenther, his Chief of Staff.

He does not officially take over his new command until Friday morning.

Earlier, he had addressed a 40-minute Press conference in a crowded morning which began with an impressive welcome at Orly Airport.

The first to greet General Ridgway as he stepped from the plane wearing a United States summer uniform and two rows of decorations, was General Eisenhower who is returning to America on Saturday to enter the presidential election campaign.

Others at the airport included Lord Ismay, NATO Secretary-General, and Field-Marshal Lord Montgomery, General Ridgway's deputy in his new post.

A force of 400 Police ringed the airport as part of elaborate security arrangements against possible Communist demonstrations.

THE ONLY INCIDENT

Police and mobile guards also lined the 15-mile route from Orly, through the forest of Paris, to Versailles. But there was only one incident as the motorcycle-escorted procession drove through, despite weeks of intensive Communist demands for demonstrations: the Communist Mayor of a suburb on the outskirts of the city rushed into the road in front of the General's car shouting, "Ridgway, murderer!"

He and four supporters were arrested after a short scuffle with the Police.

At the Arc de Triomphe in the centre of Paris, General Ridgway placed a wreath of sweet lilies on the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, the French Unknown Soldier.

About 10,000 people thronged the spacious Champs Elysees to watch the ceremony.

Before setting off on a heavy programme of engagements, General Ridgway told a Press conference that he had come to France with the utmost confidence in General Eisenhower's leadership.

He said that he would be "happy, indeed, to add in any way to what he has built up."

General Ridgway said that in Korea the troops of 16 nations of all races, colours and creeds had co-operated in every way and had shown "complete mutual confidence in battle."

What could be done in Korea in spite of all barriers could be done on a larger scale elsewhere.—Reuter.

Parcels For POWs

London, May 27. The War Secretary, Mr. Anthony Head, told the House of Commons today it was outside his province that private advertisements were appealing for parcels for prisoners of war in Chinese hands. The British Red Cross Society had a large stock of parcels in Japan, but could not get them to British prisoners, he added.—Reuter.

Whiter teeth in just one Week.

You'll be amazed at the wonderful difference Pepsodent makes to your smile! In just one week your teeth become dazzlingly white, brighter than ever before! Pepsodent contains a special ingredient called Irium—it gets rid of that dull film on your teeth, leaves them white and sparkling!

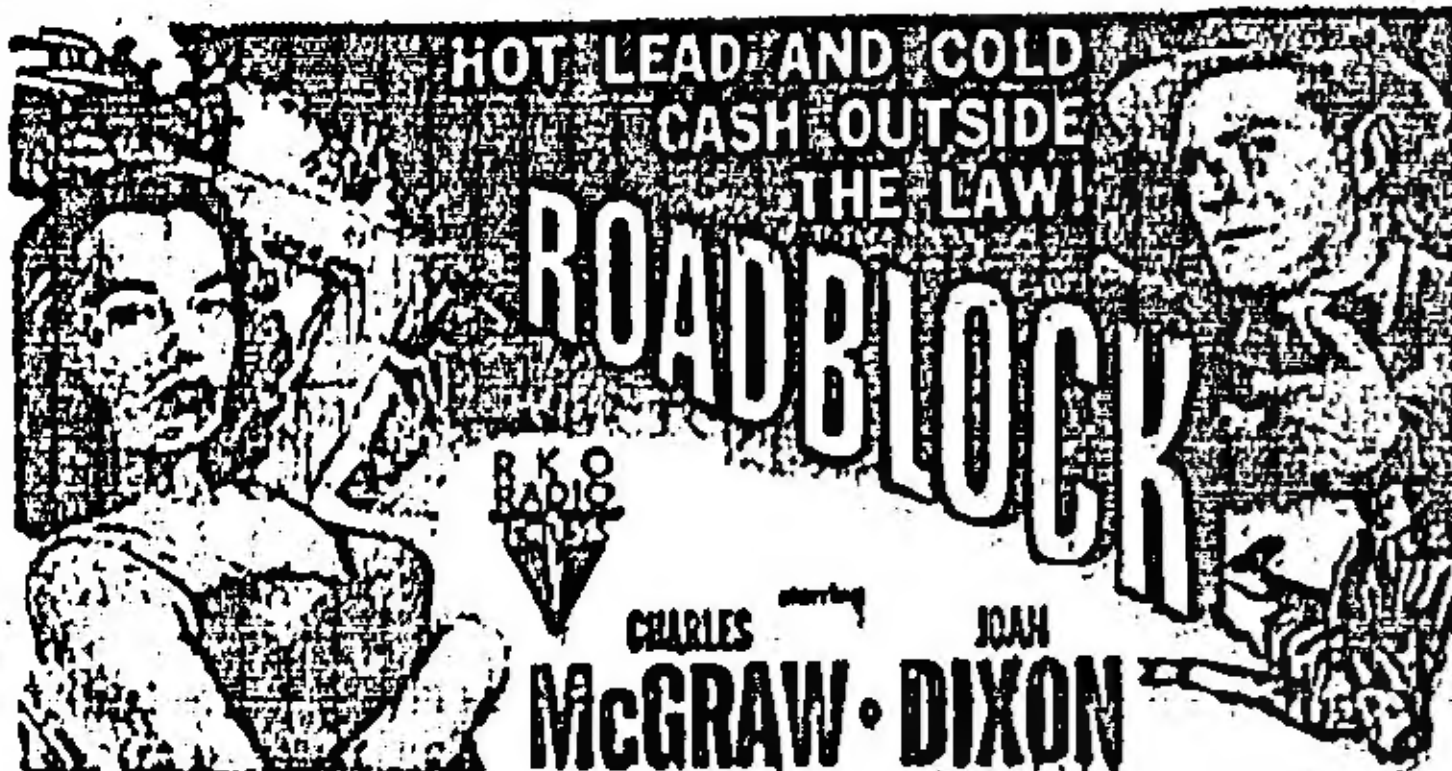
thanks to

Pepsodent

The toothpaste with IRIUM is a film on the surface of your teeth. Pepsodent is a special soluble ingredient that gives greater cleaning power.

KING'S MAJESTY

FINAL SHOWING TO-DAY
AT 2.30, 5.15, 7.20 & 9.30 P.M.



TO-MORROW
Happy Picture! Happy People!



LEE Theatre
AT 2.30, 5.30, 7.30 & 9.30 P.M.

SHOWING TO-DAY



NEXT CHANGE



CAPITOL LIBERTY
Capitol Town Booking Agent: Wing Hong Film, 7 Ice House St.

SHOWING TO-DAY
At 2.30, 5.30, 7.30 & 9.30 P.M.



Also: Latest U-I Newsreel.

Feeling Grows That Truce Talks Should Go To United Nations



Greta Garbo, on a visit to Paris, is still inseparable from her dark glasses and general air of mystery. She was recognized by a cameraman at the Charpentier Gallery during the sale of the famous Gabriel Cognac art collection. — Central Press Photo.

Move For Further Aid Cut Defeated

Washington, May 27.
The U.S. Senate today defeated a move to cut an additional \$1,000,000,000 from President Harry Truman's \$7,900,000,000 foreign aid bill. The roll call vote was 35 to 27.

Drug Charges In U.N.

New York, May 27.
The U.S. tonight accused the Soviet Union of trying to cover up illicit drug traffic by Communists.

Mr. Walter Kotschko told the United Nations Economic and Social Council that the Chinese Communists are growing poppies, producing opium, and smuggling it abroad to raise money for Communist war activities and to buy goods abroad. Russia's Georgi Sausin called the accusations "slandrous."

The U.S. opposes a Russian move in the Council to strike out statements about Communist Chinese drug trafficking from the organization's narcotics commission report to the Council. — Associated Press.

Birmingham, May 27.
Some 55 local authorities in the Midlands are being asked to contribute a total of £11,000 a year to enable the City of Birmingham Orchestra, faced with having to close down in the summer, to continue on a permanent basis.

The Lord Mayor of Birmingham announced today that he had called a conference to discuss the scheme.

It was estimated that, under the scheme, the orchestra would make a surplus of £2,200 in a year compared with the £8,275 loss of 1951-52.

At present the Birmingham Corporation contributes £11,000 and the Arts Council £1,000 a year to the orchestra. — Reuter.

At a private luncheon attended by the Secretary-General of the United Nations, Mr. Trygve Lie and delegates of the 22 countries with UNKs in Korea, General Ridgway is understood to have elaborated on whether this meant that the Security Council should take over the stymied Panmunjom talks.

A feeling among leading delegates that is becoming more and more vocal is that the United Nations Korean Command has solved the military problems as well as possible under existing conditions and that the political problems should be worked out in the United Nations.

Those problems—including the prisoner of war issue—which have stalled the Panmunjom negotiations, could be referred to the Security Council, it is felt.

But in case the Russian use of the veto should prevent progress in the Security Council, the General Assembly agreed last autumn in Paris to convene a special session if a military truce were arranged in Korea or in the event of other developments there.

Already there have been rumblings about bringing the truce talks into the United Nations, and some reports said that Britain and Australia have been talking about such a possibility.

The first issue likely to be discussed here would be the talks to return to the United Nations would be the repatriation of prisoners of war.

General Ridgway said here yesterday: "The Communist demand that all prisoners of war be exchanged forcibly is unnecessary at the root of the whole problem."

The Communists insist on a strict fulfillment of the Geneva Convention on prisoners which stipulates that all prisoners must be returned to their homeland immediately after the cessation of hostilities.

IMPOSSIBLE SOLUTION

The United Nations contend that its screening of prisoners has shown that up to 40 per cent of them do not want to go back into Communist-controlled North Korea and China and have thus far refused to agree to the Communists' insistence on forcible repatriation.

The Ales Bohler, delegate from Communist Yugoslavia, which is at present aligned with the Western Powers, has offered a solution which might be brought before the United Nations—that political asylum be offered to prisoners who are reluctant to return to their Communist homelands.

"I do not think," Dr. Bohler said, "that hope for a reasonable compromise on the question of prisoners is impossible. It seems as though the discussions (at Panmunjom) turn only around the interpretation of the Geneva Convention which I must say, speaks only of the repatriation of prisoners."

"But there is another point outside that Convention—the generally admitted international principle of asylum."

"Everybody, including war prisoners, has naturally the right to ask for asylum, and every country has the right to grant

asylum. That is how we in Yugoslavia understood the repatriation of our war prisoners after World War II. We never asked for the forcible repatriation of war prisoners."

"I think that between these two points—strict interpretation of the Geneva Convention and the application of this other principle of asylum—there is space enough for a reasonable compromise," United Press.

Hartford, Conn., May 27.
Supporters of General Dwight D. Eisenhower today won all 22 of the Connecticut State delegates to the July convention to pick the Republican Presidential candidate.

They defeated a last-minute effort to elect two supporters of Senator Robert A. Taft, of Ohio.

This made the six New England States practically a solid bloc backing Gen. Eisenhower for President.

In Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont, Rhode Island and Connecticut, the General now has 94 delegate votes to eight for Senator Taft, with eight uncommitted.

The latest Associated Press tabulation gives the following national delegate standings:

Republican—Taft, 300; Eisenhower, 288; Harold Stassen, 26; with 604 needed to nominate.

Democrats—Senator Estes Kefauver, 117; W. Averell Harriman, 85.5; Russell, 66.5; with 610 needed to nominate.—Associated Press.

Mr. G.E. Marden Warns Rotary

Mexico City, May 27.
Mr. G. E. Marden, Rotary Director from Hongkong, warning Rotarians today against being drawn into action on international affairs which are in the province of governments.

In an address prepared for the third plenary session of the 43rd Convention of Rotary International here, Mr. Marden said that there was always the danger of confusing international service with international affairs.

He added, "Rotary will inevitably take cognizance of international matters. It should seek to ensure that its members are correctly informed upon them but it is the very negation of international service to be drawn into action on international affairs which are in the province of governments."

Mr. Marden spoke to 8,000 delegates representing 60 nations.—United Press.

Against coughs and hoarseness 'CREVAL'

BOGART FRIGAN HEPUHUN QUEEN TECHNICAL

CHINESE OPTICAL CO. Here your eyes are examined in our specially equipped laboratory by specialists in optical science.

New York, May 27.
Sentiment for returning the deadlocked Korean truce talks to the United Nations for a solution of their thorny political problems appeared to be growing among delegates to the world organization today.

Impetus has been given to the movement by General Matthew B. Ridgway who recently relinquished his post as Supreme Commander in Korea after a year in which efforts to reach agreement on peace terms proved fruitless.

Although General Ridgway dodged the issue as "entirely beyond my terms of reference" in his only public speech during his three-day visit here, he said earlier in Washington that peace could not be secured in Korea without far-reaching political decisions.

At a private luncheon attended by the Secretary-General of the United Nations, Mr. Trygve Lie and delegates of the 22 countries with UNKs in Korea, General Ridgway is understood to have elaborated on whether this meant that the Security Council should take over the stymied Panmunjom talks.

A feeling among leading delegates that is becoming more and more vocal is that the United Nations Korean Command has solved the military problems as well as possible under existing conditions and that the political problems should be worked out in the United Nations.

Those problems—including the prisoner of war issue—which have stalled the Panmunjom negotiations, could be referred to the Security Council, it is felt.

But in case the Russian use of the veto should prevent progress in the Security Council, the General Assembly agreed last autumn in Paris to convene a special session if a military truce were arranged in Korea or in the event of other developments there.

Already there have been rumblings about bringing the truce talks into the United Nations, and some reports said that Britain and Australia have been talking about such a possibility.

The first issue likely to be discussed here would be the talks to return to the United Nations would be the repatriation of prisoners of war.

General Ridgway said here yesterday: "The Communist demand that all prisoners of war be exchanged forcibly is unnecessary at the root of the whole problem."

The Communists insist on a strict fulfillment of the Geneva Convention on prisoners which stipulates that all prisoners must be returned to their homeland immediately after the cessation of hostilities.

The United Nations contend that its screening of prisoners has shown that up to 40 per cent of them do not want to go back into Communist-controlled North Korea and China and have thus far refused to agree to the Communists' insistence on forcible repatriation.

The Ales Bohler, delegate from Communist Yugoslavia, which is at present aligned with the Western Powers, has offered a solution which might be brought before the United Nations—that political asylum be offered to prisoners who are reluctant to return to their Communist homelands.

"I do not think," Dr. Bohler said, "that hope for a reasonable compromise on the question of prisoners is impossible. It seems as though the discussions (at Panmunjom) turn only around the interpretation of the Geneva Convention which I must say, speaks only of the repatriation of prisoners."

"But there is another point outside that Convention—the generally admitted international principle of asylum."

"Everybody, including war prisoners, has naturally the right to ask for asylum, and every country has the right to grant

asylum. That is how we in Yugoslavia understood the repatriation of our war prisoners after World War II. We never asked for the forcible repatriation of war prisoners."

"I think that between these two points—strict interpretation of the Geneva Convention and the application of this other principle of asylum—there is space enough for a reasonable compromise," United Press.

Hartford, Conn., May 27.
Supporters of General Dwight D. Eisenhower today won all 22 of the Connecticut State delegates to the July convention to pick the Republican Presidential candidate.

They defeated a last-minute effort to elect two supporters of Senator Robert A. Taft, of Ohio.

This made the six New England States practically a solid bloc backing Gen. Eisenhower for President.

In Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont, Rhode Island and Connecticut, the General now has 94 delegate votes to eight for Senator Taft, with eight uncommitted.

The latest Associated Press tabulation gives the following national delegate standings:

Republican—Taft, 300; Eisenhower, 288; Harold Stassen, 26; with 604 needed to nominate.

Democrats—Senator Estes Kefauver, 117; W. Averell Harriman, 85.5; Russell, 66.5; with 610 needed to nominate.—Associated Press.

Mr. G.E. Marden Warns Rotary

Mexico City, May 27.
Mr. G. E. Marden, Rotary Director from Hongkong, warning Rotarians today against being drawn into action on international affairs which are in the province of governments.

In an address prepared for the third plenary session of the 43rd Convention of Rotary International here, Mr. Marden said that there was always the danger of confusing international service with international affairs.

He added, "Rotary will inevitably take cognizance of international matters. It should seek to ensure that its members are correctly informed upon them but it is the very negation of international service to be drawn into action on international affairs which are in the province of governments."

Mr. Marden spoke to 8,000 delegates representing 60 nations.—United Press.

Against coughs and hoarseness 'CREVAL'

BOGART FRIGAN HEPUHUN QUEEN TECHNICAL

CHINESE OPTICAL CO. Here your eyes are examined in our specially equipped laboratory by specialists in optical science.

TO-DAY QUEEN'S ALHAMBRA TO-DAY

QUEEN'S ALHAMBRA

At 2.30, 5.15, 7.20 & 9.30 P.M. At 2.30, 5.30, 7.30 & 9.30 P.M.

Breath-Taking Thrills! Exotic Temptations!

Aladdin

WALTER WANGER PRODUCTION

JOHN MEDINA • SANDS

Featuring The World's Most Gorgeous Harem Beauties

Added! LATEST NEWS OF THE DAY!

FOX & BROADWAY

FINAL SHOWING TO-DAY
At 2.30, 5.30, 7.30 & 9.30 P.M.
A PICTURE ABOUT A WONDERFUL FAMILY
—FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!!!



with Capistrano BENNETT • Marilyn MONROE
Directed by Harmon JONES
Added Latest 20th Century-Fox Movietone News.

COMMENCING TO-MORROW

Another Sensational SUSAN HAYWARD Picture!!!

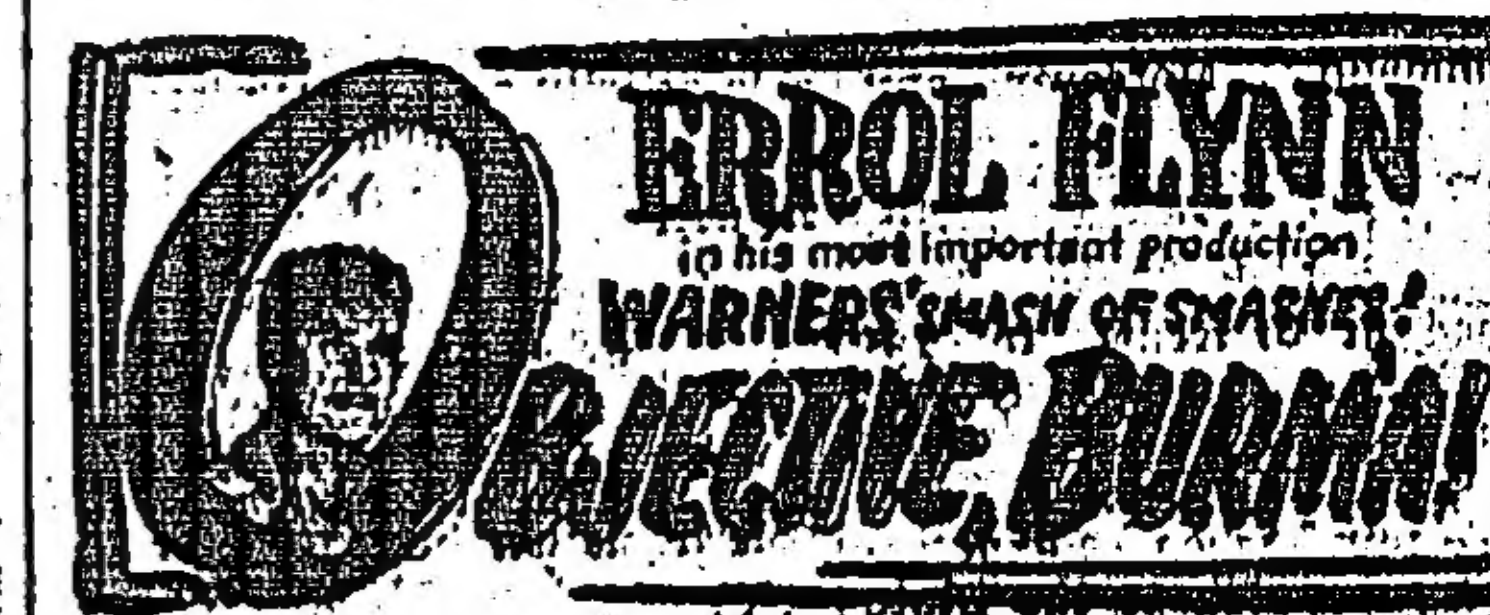


BOOKING NOW OPEN!

ORIENTAL AIR CONDITIONED

Take Any Eastern Train Car or Happy Valley Bus
Special For To-day Only: 2.30, 5.30, 7.30 & 9.30 P.M.

RETURN ENGAGEMENT BY PUBLIC REQUEST!
The Most Exciting War Film ever produced!



To-morrow: "TWO TICKETS TO BROADWAY"

To ADVERTISERS

SUNDAY POST-HERALD
Space for commercial advertising should be booked not later than noon on Wednesdays.

For the SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST and the CHINA MAIL, 48 hours before date of publication.

Special Arrangements and Classified Advertisements as usual.

PETER MOK HIM YICK HONG

MACAO MANUFACTURERS' REPRESENTATIVE

Agent for AUSTIN CARS

M.Y. LEE HONG

China Mail Distributor

21 RUA V.P. ARCOB TEL. 005

Cables: Peter Macao Agenciam, 141199

20, T. PRINCE OF FOXES

30, F. Operation Pacific

21, S. Captain Horatio Hornblower

June 1, S. Lady of Fate

2, M

7, T

6, W. The Outlaw

8, W. The Outlaw

9, W. The Outlaw

10, W. The Outlaw

11, W. The Outlaw

12, W. The Outlaw

13, W. The Outlaw

14, W. The Outlaw

15, W. The Outlaw

16, W. The Outlaw

17, W. The Outlaw

18, W. The Outlaw

19, W. The Outlaw

20, W. The Outlaw

21, W. The Outlaw

22, W. The Outlaw

23, W. The Outlaw

24, W. The Outlaw

25, W. The Outlaw

26, W. The Outlaw

27, W. The Outlaw

28, W. The Outlaw

29, W. The Outlaw

30, W. The Outlaw

31, W. The Outlaw

32, W. The Outlaw

33, W. The Outlaw

34, W. The Outlaw

35, W. The Outlaw

36, W. The Outlaw

37, W. The Outlaw

38, W. The Outlaw

39, W. The Outlaw

40, W. The Outlaw

41, W. The Outlaw

42, W. The Outlaw

43, W. The Outlaw

44, W. The Outlaw

45, W. The Outlaw

46, W. The Outlaw

47, W. The Outlaw

48, W. The Outlaw

49, W. The Outlaw

50, W. The Outlaw

51, W. The Outlaw

52, W. The Outlaw

53, W. The Outlaw

54, W. The Outlaw

55, W. The Outlaw

56, W. The Outlaw

57, W. The Outlaw

58, W. The Outlaw

59, W. The Outlaw

60, W. The Outlaw

61, W. The Outlaw

62, W. The Outlaw

63, W. The Outlaw

64, W. The Outlaw

65, W. The Outlaw

66, W. The Outlaw

67, W. The Outlaw

68, W. The Outlaw

69, W. The Outlaw

70, W. The Outlaw

71, W. The Outlaw

72, W. The Outlaw

73, W. The Outlaw

74, W. The Outlaw

75, W. The Outlaw

76, W. The Outlaw

77, W. The Outlaw

78, W. The Outlaw

79, W. The Outlaw

80, W. The Outlaw

81, W. The Outlaw

82, W. The Outlaw

83, W. The Outlaw

84, W. The Outlaw

85, W. The Outlaw

86, W. The Outlaw

87, W. The Outlaw

88, W. The Outlaw

89, W. The Outlaw

90, W. The Outlaw

91, W. The Outlaw

92, W. The Outlaw

93, W. The Outlaw

94,

Striking Successes Of Fascists At Italian Polls

Third Largest Force

Inquiry Into Conditions At Broadmoor

Reading, May 27. The committee inquiring into security arrangements at Broadmoor Institution concluded today with the only hearing in public. Their report is expected to be in the hands of the Minister of Health by the end of this week. Evidence given for the largest authority, the Berkshire County Council, urged that patients should wear distinctive clothing and that there should be greater security restrictions. Copies of resolutions from other local authorities handed in called for a public warning system of escapes and summoning of military aid.—Reuter.

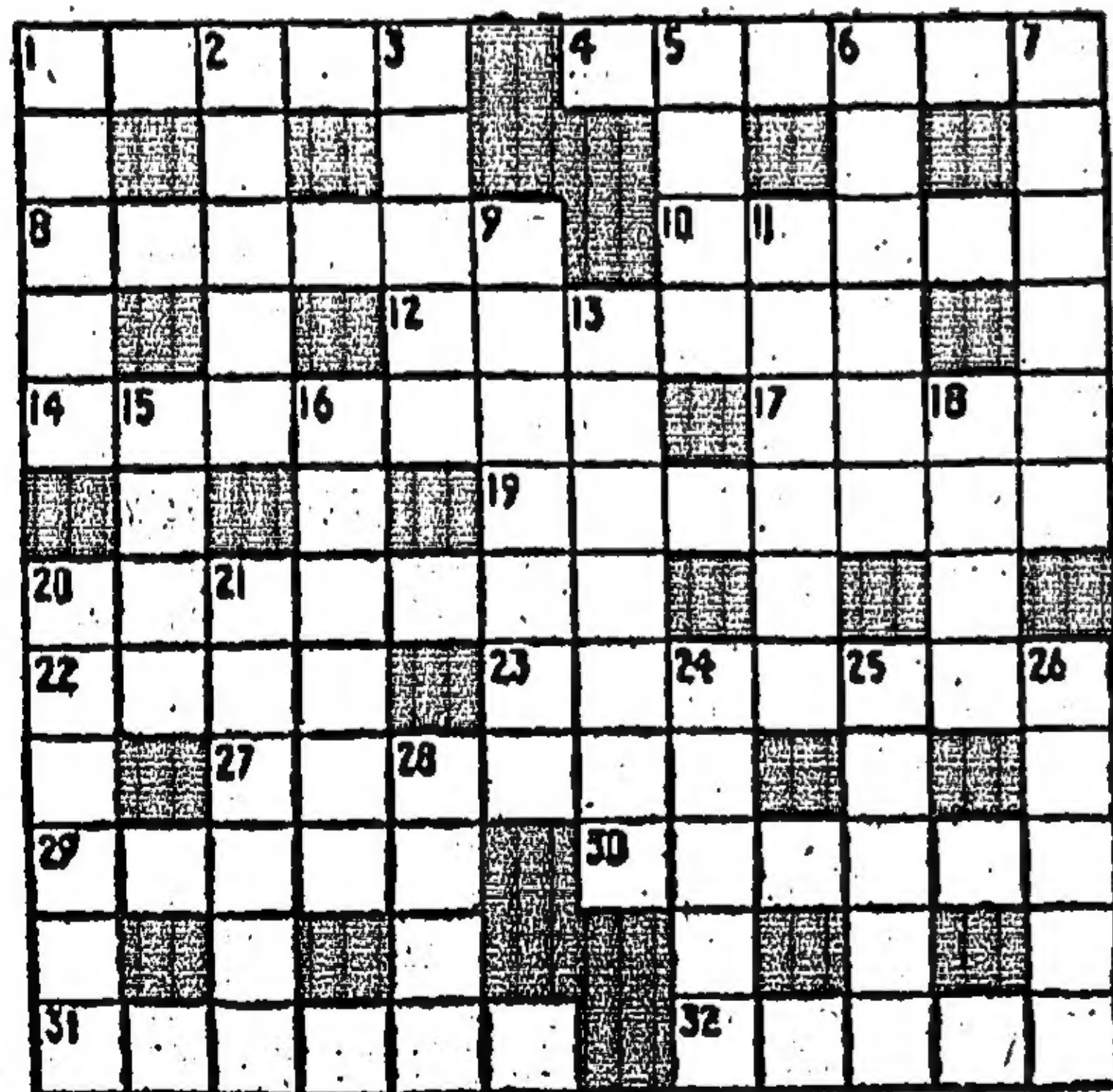
BUTLER ON JAP DEBT REPAYMENT

London, May 27. The question of Japan's sterling debt was raised in the House of Commons today when Mr. Harold Davies, Labour Member of Parliament, asked the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Richard A. Butler, "What are the amounts of Japanese loans outstanding, and what discussions have taken place with the Japanese with a view to them paying off these loans?" Mr. Butler, in a written reply, stated: "Outstanding Japanese sterling loans, including those with options for payments in other currencies, are estimated at about £22,000,000. Arrangements for interest amount to about £2,300,000. "I am glad to say that the Japanese Government have indicated their readiness to start negotiations with bondholders for a settlement of outstanding indebtedness." The fact that the Chancellor went out of his way to include mention of those loans having options for payment in gold or dollars, suggests that the Treasury is fully conscious of the big question that is now agitating the City.—United Press.

Sharett Thanks America

Philadelphia, May 27. Mr. Moshe Sharett, Israel's Foreign Minister, today praised the United States for its part in aiding his country to gain its independence and setting it on the road to democratic stability. Mr. Sharett spoke at a dinner in his honour sponsored by the local Allied-Jewish Appeal at which he was presented with a cheque for \$500,000 as an "advance" to the United Jewish Appeal to help carry on its resettlement work in Israel.—United Press.

A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS
1 Theatrical entertainment (5).
4 Forms (5).
8 School book (5).
10 Tally (5).
12 Worry (5).
14 National emblem (7).
17 Nozzle (4).
18 Tumbler (7).
20 Pairs over (4).
22 Mariners (7).
23 Protect (5).
24 Got up (5).
26 Puzzle (5).
31 Vesuvius (5).
32 Listless (5).

DOWN
1 Headquarters of regiment (5).
2 Plea in defence (5).
3 Skillful (5).
5 High temperature (4).
6 Bird (5).
7 Views (5).
9 Liberate (7).
11 Kindly (5).
13 Aid to navigation (7).
15 Wine (4).
16 Slants (5).
18 Prophet (4).
20 Assault (5).
21 County division (5).
24 Fence (5).
25 Attack (5).
26 Jollification (5).
28 Celebration (4).

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD.—Across: 3 Afflict, 9 Rain, 9 Resident, 11 Disputed, 13 Plot, 15 Ecclesiastic, 19 Learning, 19 Grow, 21 Assented, 25 Insolent, 26 Bill, 27 Disalodge. Down: 1 Brad, 2 Elias, 4 Free, 5 Laird, 6 Creel, 7 Sat, 9 Rural, 10 Septa, 12 Incur, 14 Ounce, 16 Terse, 17 Cruet, 19 Grind, 20 Oasis, 21 Aids, 22 Snug, 23 Trip, 24 Dull.

Competition For BOAC

London, May 27. The Government is to allow independent British airlines companies to compete with State-owned lines in the development of new overseas scheduled services. Mr. Alan Lennox-Boyd, Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation, told the House of Commons that independent private enterprise companies would be granted agreements for new routes for seven-year periods, with extension to ten years in special cases.—Reuter.

Barcelona Eucharistic Congress

Barcelona, May 27. One thousand Roman Catholic pilgrims from the United States arrived here this morning on the liners Constitution and Independence to take part in the 35th International Eucharistic Congress which will be opened formally at 6 p.m. G.M.T.

The American pilgrims were joined immediately by Francis Cardinal Spellman of New York who arrived by plane last night.

Tomorrow morning Cardinal Spellman will deliver what is expected to be his major homily—"Eucharist and Family Peace." He will speak at the Eucharistic session at Barcelona's University.

More than 1,500 Americans—representing every Catholic diocese in the United States—are expected to be on hand for the opening ceremonies.

They will hear the thunder of 21 cannon as the representative of Pope Pius XII, Federico Cardinal Tedeschini, arrives in the largest city of Spain.

The thunder of the cannon will formally open the ceremonies. Hundreds of thousands of pilgrims from more than 30 countries have already streamed into this sunny port for the past week for the first Eucharistic Congress since 1939.

Additional thousands, delayed by transportation difficulties, are still en route.

The theme of this Congress, which will last for six days, will be "Peace and the Eucharist."

Hundreds of church dignitaries, including 10 Cardinals, scores of Archbishops and about 300 Bishops, will participate.

There will be approximately 15,000 priests among the clerical pilgrims.

Many of the world's prominent figures will be among the 200,000 Spaniards and 100,000 foreigners taking part in the Congress.

It has been estimated that more than 1,500,000 people will attend the various ceremonies.

The honoured guest in absentia at today's opening ceremony will be Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty, Primate of Hungary, who has been imprisoned by the Hungarian Communist Government.—United Press.

Senanayake Assured Of Victory

Ceylon, May 27. On the basis of results of the half-way point in Ceylon's national elections, Premier Dudley Senanayake appeared today to be certain to be asked to form a new Government around his leading United National Party.

With only one seat still unreported from yesterday's polling Mr. Senanayake's Party held 31 seats—more than any other single party can seat if all their candidates in the remaining two days' polling should win.

Here was the line-up on the basis of all but two returns: United National Party 31; Tamil Congress Party (which supports the Government) two; Freedom Party five; Communist Party one; Federalist (anti-Government) one; Independents seven.

Some of these Independents will follow the 41-year-old bachelor Prime Minister, whose supporters claim that he may still control nearly 60 votes in Ceylon's 109-member Parliament.—Associated Press.

Just received

SCRAP BOOKS
PHOTO ALBUMS
ADDRESS BOOKS
PHOTO POCKETS

Hongkong

Kowloon

DEFENCE ISSUES PREDOMINATE IN MENZIES VISIT

London, May 27. The Prime Minister, Mr. Winston Churchill, presided when Mr. Robert Menzies, the Australian Prime Minister, resumed his defence and foreign affairs talks with British Ministers at No. 10 Downing Street this afternoon.

Officials have made no effort to conceal the fact that defence dominates the whole of the planned discussions which Mr. Menzies is cramming in between official functions and receptions.

Events in South-East Asia are said to be vitally affecting Australian defence plans and it is questionable whether, in the event of another world war, Australian forces would be available in strength for overseas service.

Mr. Menzies, however, is said to be showing important interest in the projected Middle East Command where Australia has already allocated a fighter wing of the Royal Australian Air Force.

Before making any definite commitments, however, Mr. Menzies is understood to be seeking a more clearly defined United Nations strategic policy in South-East Asia and closer liaison with the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation.

Mr. Menzies is to attend an official reception given by the High Commissioner, Sir Thomas White, at Australia House this evening.

Later tonight he will have further talks with British Ministers in his own room.

Tomorrow he will be the guest at a luncheon party given by the legal fraternity at Gray's Inn and is expected in the evening to make his first public speech during his London visit.

This will be at a dinner to be given by the Australian Club at the Savoy Hotel.

At noon today Mr. Menzies was the guest of honour at a luncheon given by representatives of the British motor industry at Claridge's.—United Press.

TO VISIT PARIS

Paris, May 27. The Australian Premier, Mr. R. G. Menzies, will visit Paris from June 11 to 13.

The Australian Embassy said that Mr. Menzies would call on President Auriol and would also confer with members of the French Cabinet on problems of interest to both countries.—France-Press.

RUMOURS OF OIL DEAL

Teheran, May 27. United States and Iranian authorities know nothing of a reported five-year deal between Persia and American oil firms for the purchase of 3,000,000 tons of aviation fuel.

The agreement was reported on Monday night by the semi-official newspaper Bakhtar Emrooz.

(American Embassy officials said they would probably have been informed if any agreement had been signed, but they did not deny the possibility of the National Persian Oil Company said he knew nothing about it).—Associated Press.

London, May 27.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Winston Churchill, presided when Mr. Robert Menzies, the Australian Prime Minister, resumed his defence and foreign affairs talks with British Ministers at No. 10 Downing Street this afternoon.

Officials have made no effort to conceal the fact that defence dominates the whole of the planned discussions which Mr. Menzies is cramming in between official functions and receptions.

Events in South-East Asia are said to be vitally affecting Australian defence plans and it is questionable whether, in the event of another world war, Australian forces would be available in strength for overseas service.

Mr. Menzies, however, is said to be showing important interest in the projected Middle East Command where Australia has already allocated a fighter wing of the Royal Australian Air Force.

Before making any definite commitments, however, Mr. Menzies is understood to be seeking a more clearly defined United Nations strategic policy in South-East Asia and closer liaison with the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation.

Mr. Menzies is to attend an official reception given by the High Commissioner, Sir Thomas White, at Australia House this evening.

Later tonight he will have further talks with British Ministers in his own room.

Tomorrow he will be the guest at a luncheon party given by the legal fraternity at Gray's Inn and is expected in the evening to make his first public speech during his London visit.

This will be at a dinner to be given by the Australian Club at the Savoy Hotel.

At noon today Mr. Menzies was the guest of honour at a luncheon given by representatives of the British motor industry at Claridge's.—United Press.

TO VISIT PARIS

Paris, May 27. The Australian Premier, Mr. R. G. Menzies, will visit Paris from June 11 to 13.

The Australian Embassy said that Mr. Menzies would call on President Auriol and would also confer with members of the French Cabinet on problems of interest to both countries.—France-Press.

RUMOURS OF OIL DEAL

Teheran, May 27. United States and Iranian authorities know nothing of a reported five-year deal between Persia and American oil firms for the purchase of 3,000,000 tons of aviation fuel.

The agreement was reported on Monday night by the semi-official newspaper Bakhtar Emrooz.

(American Embassy officials said they would probably have been informed if any agreement had been signed, but they did not deny the possibility of the National Persian Oil Company said he knew nothing about it).—Associated Press.

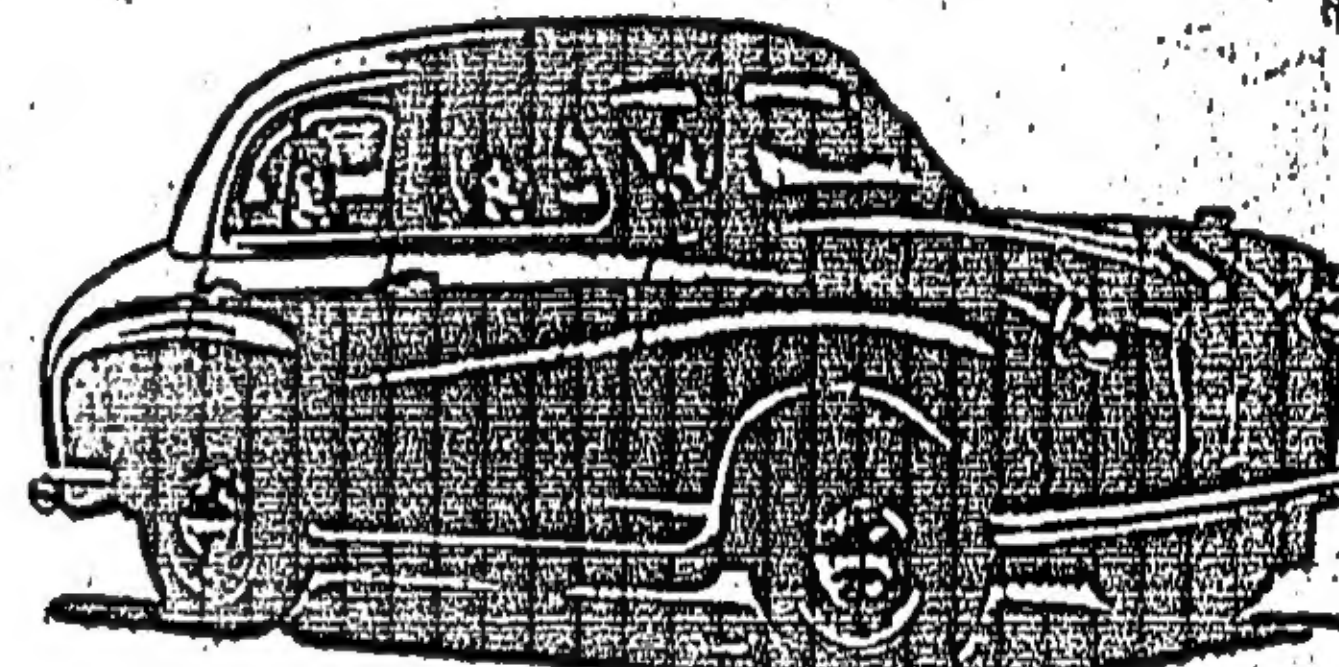


Quality Incomparable
Gordon's
Stands Supreme

Distributors:—
DODDWELL & CO., LTD.

AVAILABLE FOR YOUR
1953 HOME LEAVE
(EX WORKS £325/-)

The NEW
AUSTIN SEVEN



Austin's new Seven has opened the eyes of the world. Its 30 h.p. 4-cylinder O.H.V. engine gives a top speed of over 60 m.p.h. and petrol consumption up to 50 m.p.g. It has independent front suspension, four rear-opening doors, ample room for four, with luggage! No wonder everyone is calling it the greatest event in post-war motoring.

AUSTIN—you can depend on it!

PLEASE BOOK NOW
TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT.

with:—**ALEX ROSS & CO., (CHINA) LTD.**

5th Floor, Windsor House
Tel: 26730.

Let Your Beauty be Seen...



Palmolive
Brings Out Beauty

WHILE IT CLEANS YOUR SKIN!

26 LEADING SKIN SPECIALISTS
IN 1285 SCIENTIFIC TESTS PROVED THAT
PALMOLIVE'S BEAUTY PLAN BRINGS MOST
WOMEN LOVELIER COMPLEXIONS IN 14 DAYS

Start Palmolive's Beauty Plan today!
Discover for yourself—as women everywhere have discovered—that Palmolive's Beauty Plan brings exciting new complexion loveliness.

Here's all you do: Gently massage Palmolive's extra-mild, pure lather onto your skin for just a minute, three times a day. Then rinse and pat dry. You'll see Palmolive bring out your beauty while it cleans your skin.

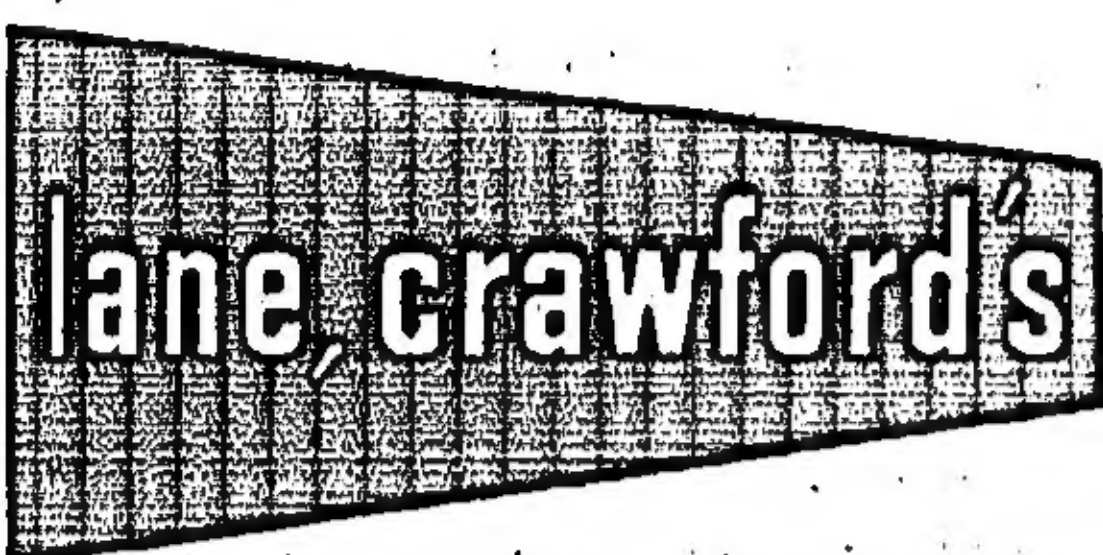
Doctors Recommend Palmolive Beauty Plan

Porcelain dinner sets
for 8 or 12 ... by

**Royal Worcester
and Wedgwood**

Complete table suites
in beautiful crystal ... by

**Val St. Lambert
and Stuart**



Mexzanino
Floor

Quink
with magic

solv-x

protects your pen
4 important ways!



Quink, the only ink containing solv-x, can add years to the life of your pen. It ends clogging; cleans out sediment; prevents corrosion; and keeps your pen clean and free-flowing. Ask for brilliant Quink today. Available in 4 permanent, 2 washable colors.

Sole Agents:
SHIRO (CHINA) LIMITED
Rutton Building, Duddell Street
PEN REPAIR SERVICE AT ROOM 108 GLOUCESTER BUILDING



**FOR THE
Finest Diamonds
TAI HANG JEWELLERY**

Sole Agents for:
LIBERTY DIAMOND WORKS LTD.
Johannesburg.

Room 707, 7th Floor, Bank of East Asia Bldg.
Telephone 21386

**"I couldn't
concentrate
on anything"**



"MRS was a bad case of Piles, so I was none too hopeful when a friend recommended Boots H.P. Ointment. But I soon noticed a marked improvement. And the way it eases the irritation—that's a grand and glorious feeling!"

Sufferers from Hemorrhoids or Piles can rely upon quick relief with Boots H.P. Ointment. Soothes pain and irritation, and reduces inflammation. Easy to apply, internally or externally, and non-staining. Ask your chemist for it to-day.

Boots H.P.
ointment for piles



OPEN HOUSE AT BONN

World Copyright, by arrangement with Daily Herald.

THEY ESCAPED FROM PRISON CAMP TO CLIMB A MOUNTAIN

By HAZEL MAY

BOOKS about expeditions—preferably the kind with the maximum of risk and the minimum of preparation—have rocketed to best-seller level.

Perhaps it is because we seek to gain the thrills of another's hazard from the safety of our own armchair. Perhaps we have the urge to see the world's wide vistas but lack the will to quit our encompassed comforts.

At any rate, a London columnist has remarked that the members of the Shipton expedition were pursued almost to the 20,000-foot hut by publishers' representatives anxious to secure the rights of any book on their latest attempt. Remarkably their eagerness was mainly prompted by the phenomenal popularity of "The Kon-Tiki Expedition," he suggested that publishers might give their unsuccessful authors something to write about if they floated them down the Amazon in tins.

Sole Purpose

NOW here is another expedition book about the most unconventional assault on Mount Kenya that has ever been made.

Truthfully entitled "No Picnic On Mount Kenya" it is written by a young Italian, Felice Benuzzi, now Italian Vice-Consul in Brisbane, who led an escape from a prisoner-of-war camp in Kenya during the last war—for the sole purpose of climbing the mountain. At the end of the expedition he and his two companions broke into the camp from which they had escaped a few days before, and gave themselves up to the Commandant.

The attempt on Mount Kenya was made despite every handicap. Benuzzi first suggested the prison break and the expedition to a professional mountaineer who was a fellow-prisoner. The expert told him that the idea was mad, that they would need six months' training on first-class food, and porters to carry equipment to a base camp.

But Benuzzi was not discouraged. He eventually found two companions for the climb, a doctor and a sailor; neither of them experienced mountaineers. They patiently collected a few rations for the trip and laboriously manufactured

equipment from the limited materials they could find in the camp. Over a period of months they made makeshift climbing ropes (from the knotted bed-ropes in the dormitories) ice-axes, rucksacks and various substitutes for the usual mountaineer's equipment.

Few Facts

FOR a map they had only the label from an Oxo tin, with a crude sketch of the mountain. And all they knew about the mountain were the few bare facts they had culled from magazine articles and a book on African tribal history. Never had an expedition set off with so little chance of success.

Early in the trip the trio realised they were "up against it." And, looking back, the writer pauses to wonder at their temerity:

"We had had no climbing practice for eight years, had been prisoners of war for the past two, and had had little to eat and little sleep since our escape. Since then we had been crushed beneath the weight of our rucksacks, and finally, we had to start our actual attempt on the summit from a base camp which was low and too far away from the peak. Yet we attempted, under winter conditions, a climb which Shipton and Tilman, accomplished mountaineers, had considered hopeless even in summer. Shipton and Tilman were presumably in hard condition; well fed and well served with porters—in a word, free men. We were not and did not know—that is our only excuse."

Food Ran Out

NOR did the actual climb encompass the perils of the trip. To get to the mountain the prisoners had to make a night journey through the forests which surrounded the foot of the mountain—forests alive with big game. Their adventures with wild animals all contributed to their suspense.

To add to their difficulties, one of the men developed malaria immediately after the break-out. He kept on heroically, but was left behind for the actual attempt on one of the two peaks. Swiftness, swiftness, swiftness, and mountain sickness added further complications. The food ran out on the way back, and a few remaining crumbs and a currant or two assumed on an overwhelming importance. The power of the book is in the force of Benuzzi's writing. Although there is sometimes a quaintness in the phrasing which betrays his Italian way of thought, he writes with a simplicity and a vigour that take you with him every yard

of the way. He possesses a gift for description which a writer must have if he is to convey the beauty to be found on mountains. There are many passages which are outstanding. He gives a brilliant picture of the beauty of the tropical forest which clothes Kenya's lower slopes:

"There were trees of great height, some with slender stems like masts and some with their trunks almost invisible, smothered under cloaks of creepers of every description which in places ran from tree to tree forming dark green walls. Here were the ruins of a Gothic cathedral submerged by waves of green; there ropes, pipes and wires composed some huge machine."

Jungle Life

HE goes on to describe the flowers: "Some shining like flames against the dark background, others hanging pendulous like grapes towards the water; the yellow swords of gladioli; bell-flowers seeming to wait for the fairy of the tale who would ring them; pale pink or ochre-striped orchids and 'thistles' with monstrous purple heads."

The wanderers were entranced, too, by the jungle's vivid life:

"There were countless birds, from graceful sunbirds with slender beaks and bright colours to harshly croaking lorises showing in flight their blood-red wing feathers. Troops of monkeys jumped from branch to branch. Butterflies of every size and colour dallied gracefully along the banks."

This is a book to read again, a book, not only for mountaineers, but for everyone who can understand the spirit that sends men, without hope of material reward, on hazardous adventure.

GANGSTERDOM GOES ON POINTS

CHAPMAN PINCHER'S Column tells how to pick tomorrow's thugs from today's innocent children

WITH this five-point chart psychologists claim they can predict an innocent child's chances of becoming a gangster or a good citizen. They believe their forecasts will be right in at least eight cases out of every ten.

They are so confident of the test's reliability in spotting the future criminal before it is too late that they are urging its adoption as a routine "screening test" for all children when they start school.

The potential thugs, thieves, and swindlers might then be kept out of the juvenile courts.

DEFIANCE

★ THIS is how the test works: After carefully studying the child, psychologists give him black marks for defiance, assertiveness, destructiveness, suspiciousness, and emotional instability.

Sitting on the Fence.... by

Nathaniel Gubbins

IN a successful appeal for a divorce decree against a husband who was a voluntary patient at a mental hospital, Lord Justice Singleton said the husband preferred living in the institution, where he was looking after cattle, to living with his wife.

TO A COW

Oh Daisy Bell, my Daisy Bell, dear Daisy Bell, how daintily you are in peaceful meadow green. How sweet you smell, dear Daisy Bell, how daintily you graze; How beautiful, my Daisy Bell, your calm, untroubled gaze.

How tranquilly, my Daisy Bell, you face the passing years; No rouge upon your glossy cheeks, no scent behind your ears. From balms to soothe the scars of time you stand austere, aloof, No cigarette between your lips, no cocktail in your hoof. No foolish hat upon your head, my darling Daisy Bell, No silly shoes to cripple feet that walk the dewy dell; No wounding word upon your tongue, no evil in your head, No scandal whispered in the dark, for cows are too well-bred.

Oh Daisy Bell, dear Daisy Bell, when vulgar men complain That tiresome girls resemble you they take your name in vain. If they but knew how sweet you are, they'd call their true-loves now Not darling 'this and that' but darling, darling cow.

Operation Banger

IT began with a casual remark in a local club about a pork butcher's shop in a Kentish town that sold sausages almost up to pre-war standards. Your Uncle Nat asked the name and address of the butcher and noted it down. He told a friend in secret, who told another friend in secret, who probably told several friends in secret. It soon became clear that if this sort of thing went on hundreds of middle-aged schoolboys would be in their cars at dawn the next day on the trail of the lost and now forbidden delicacy of their youth. It would be a case of first come first served.

In a panic, the original three decided not to mention the word sausage at all when discussing their plans. They remembered the schoolboy name for sausage and called it "Operation Banger."

But to many ex-schoolboys knew what banger meant that the deception became laughable.

★ ★ ★

The Three Musketeers suspected that their car would be watched and followed, ending in an unignited scuffle at the door of the secret objective.

POCKET CARTOON By OSBERT LANCASTER



"Every time one looks at a paper these days one's sense of insecurity increases."

So they practised a further deception. They talked in audible undertones of Operation Banger, but told each other in loud voices intended to be overheard, that banger could be caught only on Wednesday mornings.

Then they rose early on Tuesday morning and climbed into a car. They said goodbye to their wives like men who may never return from a desperate adventure.

As they drove through the countryside glowing with May blossom, they remembered the bangers of their boyhood, greasy, plump thighs sizzling and bursting over fires.

They discussed the political significance of bangers in a sausage-starved country, the desperate devotion to bangers of all males, but vegetarians, from eight to 80.

They talked of bangers and mashed, bangers and onions, and wondered if Operation Banger would produce real porky bangers or post-war bland bangers like salted sawdust.

Although their Uncle Nat reminded them that, in this free country, those who made, bought or ate real porky bangers might spend ten years in Dartmoor, probably in chains, they pressed on regardless and the objective was reached. The shop was almost cleared of bangers and the Three Musketeers returned to a hero's welcome.

★ ★ ★

The next morning this musketeer rose early, found a frying pan, put two bangers in it, lit the gas and waited for them to sizzle. They didn't. They cracked like burning faggots. They were the breadiest bangers of all time. The Three Musketeers have not mentioned bangers since, but in the eyes of three wise men is that look of amused pity that women are unable to conceal when they are thinking "All men are boys at heart and not very clever boys at that."

Apricot dog

WHILE the world wonders anxiously if it is safe to reclaim the Germans, and sensible people try not to think about the atom bomb, somebody has been quietly preparing a new horror for us.

He is a dog-breeder who is attempting to revive the popularity of the pug dog, probably the most revolting doggie ever seen outside a nightmare.

Many years ago even dog worshippers turned against this horrible little animal not only because of its hideous appearance, but because of its disgusting habit. So it went out of fashion and I hoped the last of the breed had died of rabies.

According to a gossip column, "Pug dogs were spoiled and became gross feeders. They also developed asthma and a snore that kept the household awake."

But this dog-breeder (may it snow during his summer holidays) has changed all that by widening the beast's nostrils and keeping it on a streamlining diet.

Therefore, it won't be long now before the country's stiff with them.

What's more, he can breed them in four colours, fawn, black, silver, and apricot. But good may come out of evil if we do not lose our heads.

As Stalin is reported to have a weak heart, perhaps the whole international situation would be changed if somebody finished him off with the gift of an apricot puggy-wuggy doggie. With asthma for preference.

—(London Express Service)

DISCIPLINE OF BOY BY FATHER	Score
Overtired, demanding obedience through fear, or erratic, varying between strictness and laxity	72
Lax, letting the boy do what he likes	60
Firm but kindly, basing discipline on sound reasons which the boy accepts as fair	9
SUPERVISION OF BOY BY MOTHER	
Unsuitable, leaving the boy to his own devices or in the care of an irresponsible person	83
Fair, giving only partial supervision to the boy	57
Suitable, keeping close watch and providing for his leisure hours	10
AFFECTION OF FATHER FOR BOY	
Indifferent or hostile	78
Warmly affectionate, even being over-protective	34
AFFECTION OF MOTHER FOR BOY	
Indifferent or hostile	86
Warmly affectionate, even being over-protective	43
COHESION OF FAMILY	
Unintegrated—home is just a place to "hang your hat"	97
Some degree of cohesion—family behaves as a co-operative group to some extent	61
Cohesive—with a pride in the home, a strong "all for one and one for all" feeling	21

This system of preventing crime has been worked out by Professor and Mrs. Sheldon Glueck, a U.S. husband-and-wife psychologist team, after ten years of research sponsored by the Harvard Law School.

British psychologists are anxious to try out the system on an experimental scale.

The urgent need for some method of detecting future criminals at the earliest possible age is shown by the fact that in

England alone more than 28,000 children, under 14, are found guilty of indictable offences every year.

Here's how to try out the chart on any child you know. Two marks are awarded for each feature of family life.

ALWAYS choose shown in the right-hand column. There are no variations for different degrees. To get a total strike-out lines that do not apply, and add up marks left.

—(London Express Service)

JACOBY
ON BRIDGEFollow This Rule For
No-Trump Play

NORTH	
♠K52	♥K10
♦K10	♣K10
♠KJ73	♥K10
♦K10	♣K10
♠KJ73	♥K10
♦K10	♣K10

SOUTH (D)	
♠A7	♥A93
♦A93	♣A93
♠A7	♥A93
♦A93	♣A93
♠A7	♥A93
♦A93	♣A93

By OSWALD JACOBY

WHICH suit should you try to develop when you are playing a hand on no-trump? The longest suit? The strongest suit? There is no easy answer to the question, but the guiding principles are illustrated in today's hand.

West opened the jack of spades, and South counted up his tricks. He could take three spades and two hearts. Four tricks had to be developed in clubs and diamonds. The two suits were equally long—five cards apiece. In the end, South decided to go after four club tricks.

Declarer won the first spade in his own hand to lead a club. The three of the club was led to East, and East was unkind enough to return a heart.

Now South discovered that there were only three club tricks. He needed a diamond to lead his ninth trick, but East had time to take the other top heart and take two clubs, two diamonds, and two hearts.

South went down two tricks because he started on the wrong suit. The club were strong, but the diamonds were solid. South could afford to give away two diamond tricks and still make the other three tricks in the suit.

There were three tricks plus the two top clubs would give him nine tricks for his contract.

Correct play is to win the opening lead with dummy's king of spades and to return the king of diamonds at once. East will take the ace of diamonds and return a heart to dummy's king. Now the ten of diamonds is led from dummy to knock out East's queen, and South is ready to win ten tricks without a struggle.

Q—With both sides vulnerable, the bidding has been:

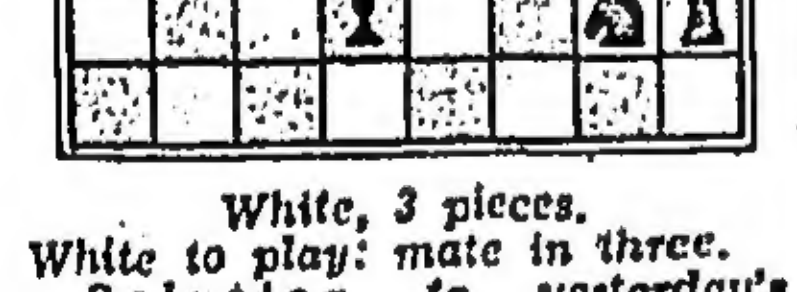
North: 1 N. Double
South: 1 N. Double
You, South, hold: Spades K-3-2, Hearts J-3-4, Diamonds K-3-4-5, Clubs Q-10-9. What take in the A-10-double. If the opening bid and the double are both sound, your hand contains the ace of the high cards in the deck. West's hand may contain about one jack or one queen, but no more.

You can probably defeat any contract, but may not be able to make a game of your own. The redouble notifies your partner that you are willing to double the opponents and warns him not to let them off the hook.

TODAY'S QUESTION
The bidding is the same as in the auction just answered. You, South, hold: Spades K-3-2, Hearts J-3-4, Diamonds K-3-4-5, Clubs Q-10-9. What do you do?

Answer Tomorrow

CHess PROBLEM
By E. BOSWELL
(BCF Tournay 65)
Black, 12 pieces.



White, 3 pieces.
White to play; mate in three.
Solution to yesterday's problem:
1. R-KK4, any; 2. Q, R, B, or K mates.

INTELLIGENCE TEST
A TRIP TO MUFFTOWN
By T. O. HARE

SIR PUGHAM AROUNDE, of the Ministry of Transport, gave notice to planning the trip to Mufftown. He had arranged for visiting delegates to the International Congress of Baby Sitters. The party will go by train. The train will be a special train, and there will be 21 coaches, and each coach will have 21 sitters.

He was somewhat put out when after the first day's trip, a Latvian delegation of 10 sitters was added to the party. We can just add another train, Chief, said his boy, and the other 21 sitters.

Four coaches, with 20 sitters in each. Well, do nothing of the sort, Mr. Arounde, said Sir Pugham. Do not create a very bad impression. I must on having the same number of sitters in each coach train, and the same number of sitters in each coach.

Okay, Chief, said Mr. Arounde. How many trains went to Mufftown?

(Solution on Page 10)



"I think you've played him enough, dear—perhaps you'd better reel him in now!"

BY THE WAY
by Beachcomber

"It was believed," says a simple sentence, "that the elephant had been stolen." It was probably being led to some "fence," who was expecting nothing bigger than a saucupan or a silver tray. I knew a man who tried to smuggle an elephant out of the country. The scene is the Customs shed at Dover, was remarkable. The beast got away and was reported missing for London. An enormous trap was baited with rice pudding on the Victoria Embankment, and a man spent the night in the bushes, waiting for the elephant's owner, and that he would recognise it by a small mark on the right leg. I don't know why I tell you this.

The scientific approach
TALKING of marriage, I see that someone is claiming that a young couple should be able to judge the chances of a happy or unhappy marriage by studying each other's handwriting. Those who are too busy to write letters should submit a line or two of their handwriting to a handwriting expert.

YOUR BIRTHDAY
By STELLA
WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

BORN today, you have one of those quick, alert minds which see things instantly. You are good at any exciting job calling for snap decisions. You can always be depended upon at a time of crisis. You are always busy with mistakes and every exciting job calling for snap decisions. You can always be depended upon at a time of crisis. You are always busy with mistakes and every exciting job calling for snap decisions.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax. LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—If you are depressed, don't resort to self pity. Listen to some good music; read a light book. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Today may be difficult for others. You can do a lot to help if you will stay calm and sweet-tempered. LITIA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—This is a good day for you to organize some neighbourhood recreational activity. Take the lead. GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—Don't permit yourself to get into a state of tension because of needless worry. Just relax.

WOMANSENSE

ORANGE COCONUT COOKIES

Cake-making's a good way of using a bag—see all share it then

SIEVE TOGETHER

4oz PLAIN FLOUR
1/4 LEVEL TEASPOON SALT, AND
1 LEVEL TEASPOON BAKING POWDER

CREAM 2oz FAT, AND GRADUALLY BEAT IN 4oz SUGAR

THEN 1/2 LEVEL TEASPOON EACH OF ORANGE AND LEMON RIND

NOW ADD THE FLOUR MIXTURE ALTERNATELY WITH ABOUT 1/4 CUPFUL OF MILK, BEATING TILL SMOOTH EACH TIME

DROP TEASPOON-FULS ON A GREASED BAKING-SHEET, AND BAKE IN A MODERATELY HOT OVEN ABOUT 10 MINUTES

AND FINALLY 1/2 A BEATEN EGG

AND STIR IN 1/4 CUPFUL DESICCATED COCONUT

Pretty Print



By AUCIE AIDEN

WHILE the print frock isn't so much in the fashion picture as it used to be, the current version is of exceedingly fine styling, striking of line, if somewhat subdued as to print. One of New York's favourite designers, who has a deft way with prints, does this one in "smoke crystal" and a white printed silk sarah. Designed for afternoon or cocktails, the dress has a bodice with close-fitting, loop-buttoned midriff. The very new looking skirt is stitched pleated to join a tucked hem band, crisply flared.

COLOUR AND TEXTURE STRESSED
IN MODERN HOME DECORATING

By ELEANOR ROSS

NIFTY new novelties and ideas are waiting for your inspection at various store furniture floors, and those who are out to do a little changing around or buying, will find lots to interest them.

★ One good idea, ideal for a one room apartment or for a very long or big room, is a room-divider piece made up of desk, chest and shelf space. Clever, too, is a brand-new idea—a buffet on wheels, for all the world like a tea wagon.

★ In a clever group of settings, eye appeal is obtained through wall treatments that are effective yet inexpensive, stressing colour, texture and pattern. In a colonial bedroom, the white-washed paint is literally textured in a combed effect by the use of plaster paint. We overheard one viewer say that this would be a swell way to treat old cracked walls. We think so, too!

★ Then in a modern bedroom, the fibre floor covering is used to cover two walls, making for a simple, inexpensive but striking way of doing walls. All it needs is a hammer and tacks.

★ Colour plays a stirring role in a series of dining-living rooms. In one setting, walls are done in a brick shade—a warm burnt orange tone that makes a charming background for sectional, wood-trimmed chairs done in a tweed that combines the wall tone with black. A dining table pulls out of a wall unit, and is decked with a chaise longue cloth, with napkins and textured dinnerware that pick up the brick tone.

★ In another setting, the floor covering and the walls are a deep soft gray-green that has a sort of avocado tone. With it are tones in greige, pumpkin and touches of white.

Accessories Harmonize
In all the settings, the accessories have been chosen to tone with colour scheme, from ashtrays through lamps to pictures, and because of the colours used, the effect is never "set" or seemingly decorator-inspired, but warm and happily livable.

★ Another store is featuring groups in light maple and natural walnut that should have great appeal for newweds furnishing their first apartment. The chests and cases have removable legs for which platforms may be substituted so that pieces that begin in a one or two-room set-up will be just as right when they come into their own in a larger place.

★ This store, like many others, offers much use of black and white, and shows that this enduring colour scheme really works for home decoration as well as for clothes. For instance, one store shows a charming little dining room with warm maple pieces, and has one wall covered in a smart unglazed cotton in a black and white French toile print, above a dado. Other walls are a deep charcoal gray, and the rug is a rich bronze gold, a luscious cover in gold cotton velvet, to match the floor covering.

★ In another setting, the floor covering and the walls are a deep soft gray-green that has a sort of avocado tone. With it are tones in greige, pumpkin and touches of white.

★ Then in a modern bedroom, the fibre floor covering is used to cover two walls, making for a simple, inexpensive but striking way of doing walls. All it needs is a hammer and tacks.

★ Colour plays a stirring role in a series of dining-living rooms. In one setting, walls are done in a brick shade—a warm burnt orange tone that makes a charming background for sectional, wood-trimmed chairs done in a tweed that combines the wall tone with black. A dining table pulls out of a wall unit, and is decked with a chaise longue cloth, with napkins and textured dinnerware that pick up the brick tone.

★ In another setting, the floor covering and the walls are a deep soft gray-green that has a sort of avocado tone. With it are tones in greige, pumpkin and touches of white.

★ Then in a modern bedroom, the fibre floor covering is used to cover two walls, making for a simple, inexpensive but striking way of doing walls. All it needs is a hammer and tacks.

★ Colour plays a stirring role in a series of dining-living rooms. In one setting, walls are done in a brick shade—a warm burnt orange tone that makes a charming background for sectional, wood-trimmed chairs done in a tweed that combines the wall tone with black. A dining table pulls out of a wall unit, and is decked with a chaise longue cloth, with napkins and textured dinnerware that pick up the brick tone.

★ In another setting, the floor covering and the walls are a deep soft gray-green that has a sort of avocado tone. With it are tones in greige, pumpkin and touches of white.

★ Then in a modern bedroom, the fibre floor covering is used to cover two walls, making for a simple, inexpensive but striking way of doing walls. All it needs is a hammer and tacks.

★ Colour plays a stirring role in a series of dining-living rooms. In one setting, walls are done in a brick shade—a warm burnt orange tone that makes a charming background for sectional, wood-trimmed chairs done in a tweed that combines the wall tone with black. A dining table pulls out of a wall unit, and is decked with a chaise longue cloth, with napkins and textured dinnerware that pick up the brick tone.

★ In another setting, the floor covering and the walls are a deep soft gray-green that has a sort of avocado tone. With it are tones in greige, pumpkin and touches of white.

★ Then in a modern bedroom, the fibre floor covering is used to cover two walls, making for a simple, inexpensive but striking way of doing walls. All it needs is a hammer and tacks.

★ Colour plays a stirring role in a series of dining-living rooms. In one setting, walls are done in a brick shade—a warm burnt orange tone that makes a charming background for sectional, wood-trimmed chairs done in a tweed that combines the wall tone with black. A dining table pulls out of a wall unit, and is decked with a chaise longue cloth, with napkins and textured dinnerware that pick up the brick tone.

★ In another setting, the floor covering and the walls are a deep soft gray-green that has a sort of avocado tone. With it are tones in greige, pumpkin and touches of white.

Noses to the Ground

NOSES to the ground we went on a shoe inspection round the West End, found five out of every ten women wearing court shoes with medium heels, three wearing very high heels, the rest in strip sandals. Our vote for the most charming shoes is given to this black crocheted pair with suede heels and trimmings.

At that, Pan put the pipe to his lips. His fingers moved up and down so quickly that Knarf could scarcely follow them. And out of the pipe came quick little notes, all bright and shining, like dancing sunbeams on a brook.

It was astonishing! The rabbit, which had been sitting quietly in the shadow of the stone fence, pricked up his ears, then sprang forward and went bounding around the field as though he had suddenly gone crazy.

The whole field was yellow and green with buttercups and dandelions! Knarf gasped: "But how did you do the pipe... the pipe did it," Pan said, smiling.

Rabbit Sat Quietly
The rabbit, after nibbling some of the fresh dandelion leaves, came back again and once more sat quietly in the shadow of the stone fence.

"Here," said Pan, handing Knarf the pipe, "you try blowing something on it. See what happens."

"You know," said Knarf, "I'd like another rabbit like the one you've got, to ride on."

"All right," said Pan, "just blow one long blow. Keep your finger on this hole."

Knarf did as he was told. He blew one long blow. A single long, quivering note, more like an echo from far, far away than a note from the pipe in his mouth, came slowly and softly out. And another rabbit came springing out of the Pine Tree Grove, ready to give Knarf a ride!

"Well," said the boy, who now that he had his pipe—or flute—back was in much better humour, "I call it a pipe though I suppose it is a good deal like a flute. It does wonderful things when you blow it right."

Knarf wanted to know what it did. "And what's your name?" he asked.

Funny Name
"Pan? That's a funny name." "I don't know about that," said Pan. "What's your name?"

"Knarf."

"That's pretty funny, too. Well, let me show you what my pipe can do. Take a look at that field. Do you see any dandelions or buttercups?"

Knarf said he didn't see a single one.

After chanking the old lady Rupert and Bill carry the signboard away. Mr. Bear is in his garden and he gazes at surprise. "Please, Daddy, will you help us to do Santa Claus a good turn?" Rupert begs. "We've hung all our stockings on a tree and we want ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

After chanking the old lady Rupert and Bill carry the signboard away. Mr. Bear is in his garden and he gazes at surprise. "Please, Daddy, will you help us to do Santa Claus a good turn?" Rupert begs. "We've hung all our stockings on a tree and we want ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

After chanking the old lady Rupert and Bill carry the signboard away. Mr. Bear is in his garden and he gazes at surprise. "Please, Daddy, will you help us to do Santa Claus a good turn?" Rupert begs. "We've hung all our stockings on a tree and we want ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

After chanking the old lady Rupert and Bill carry the signboard away. Mr. Bear is in his garden and he gazes at surprise. "Please, Daddy, will you help us to do Santa Claus a good turn?" Rupert begs. "We've hung all our stockings on a tree and we want ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

After chanking the old lady Rupert and Bill carry the signboard away. Mr. Bear is in his garden and he gazes at surprise. "Please, Daddy, will you help us to do Santa Claus a good turn?" Rupert begs. "We've hung all our stockings on a tree and we want ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

After chanking the old lady Rupert and Bill carry the signboard away. Mr. Bear is in his garden and he gazes at surprise. "Please, Daddy, will you help us to do Santa Claus a good turn?" Rupert begs. "We've hung all our stockings on a tree and we want ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

After chanking the old lady Rupert and Bill carry the signboard away. Mr. Bear is in his garden and he gazes at surprise. "Please, Daddy, will you help us to do Santa Claus a good turn?" Rupert begs. "We've hung all our stockings on a tree and we want ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

After chanking the old lady Rupert and Bill carry the signboard away. Mr. Bear is in his garden and he gazes at surprise. "Please, Daddy, will you help us to do Santa Claus a good turn?" Rupert begs. "We've hung all our stockings on a tree and we want ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

Fath calls it after Antoine Pinay

By JOHN HARRISON

Paris. Paris couturier Jacques Fath, giving a pre-view of his summer collection recently to his salon-full of society personalities, countesses and other women about town, said:

"I have been accused of making dresses too expensive for anyone to buy—we'll I will now show you, that is untrue."

"Here are two dresses costing only £100 each. I have called them 'Antoine Pinay' and 'La Descente du Frêne.' Everyone clapped like mad and littered approvingly—for it has become the fashion here to support the present Prime Minister, the leather merchant Antoine Pinay, and his defence of the 'frêne' aimed at chipping a bit of moulding prices."

And Mr Fath and his colleagues are of all things fashionable. The dress called after Mr Pinay was typical of the whole summer collection. It was navy with a full, stiffened organza skirt, floating and full like the 1947 "new look" (remember it? It created a new name, that of Christian Dior). With the dress was worn a big transparent hat also in stiffened organza, round and drooping like a Spanish Indian's sun-hat.

All the dresses followed more or less the same line. Some were in mousseline, some were pleated, but all very alike—and very pretty. Transparent and starched white muslin blouses were shown for afternoon wear and tops for evening dresses.

There was little jewellery. The models wore only small stud earrings, no necklaces and few pearls.

There were no flamboyant film stars, no eccentrics—the place of honour next to Mrs Jacques Fath going to the cot-nervative and distinguished Comtesse de Paris, wife of the Pretender to the French throne. It was the Parisian version of austerity.—United Press.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS
In cake-making, accurate measurements are possible with different types of standard measures. A standard measuring cup holds the same amount whether it is made of glass, aluminium or plastic. Graduated sets of cups (1 cup, 1/2 cup, and 1/4 cup) are popular, as they are ideal for measuring fractions of a cup, especially for shortening.

To make men's shirts wear longer, always check to be sure you've turned up the collar, and turned down the French cuffs, before laundering.

A little baking soda sprinkled in a wash tray extinguishes burning tobacco and makes the tray easier to clean.

Do not make the mistake of ironing dress weight spun rayon garments wet. When you do you do not get good results, and the job takes a long time. You'll be pleased to find how easily and smoothly these fabrics iron if they are bone-dry.

Do not make the mistake of ironing dress weight spun rayon garments wet. When you do you do not get good results, and the job takes a long time. You'll be pleased to find how easily and smoothly these fabrics iron if they are bone-dry.

Do not make the mistake of ironing dress weight spun rayon garments wet. When you do you do not get good results, and the job takes a long time. You'll be pleased to find how easily and smoothly these fabrics iron if they are bone-dry.

Do not make the mistake of ironing dress weight spun rayon garments wet. When you do you do not get good results, and the job takes a long time. You'll be pleased to find how easily and smoothly these fabrics iron if they are bone-dry.

Do not make the mistake of ironing dress weight spun rayon garments wet. When you do you do not get good results, and the job takes a long time. You'll be pleased to find how easily and smoothly these fabrics iron if they are bone-dry.

Do not make the mistake of ironing dress weight spun rayon garments wet. When you do you do not get good results, and the job takes a long time. You'll be pleased to find how easily and smoothly these fabrics iron if they are bone-dry.

Do not make the mistake of ironing dress weight spun rayon

AQUASCUTUM WEATHER!

COTTON
POPLINS,
GABERDINES.

BRITISH
UMBRELLAS,
FOX FRAMES.

MACKINTOSH'S

13, CHATER ROAD

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB WHITSUN RACE MEETING

Saturday 31st May and Monday 2nd June, 1952
(Held under the Rules of The Hong Kong Jockey Club)

The First Race will be run at 1.30 p.m. and the First Race will be run at 2.00 p.m. on the 1st Day.
On the 2nd Day the First Race will be run at 11.30 a.m. and the First Race will be run at 12.00 Noon. The 15th interval is after the Fourth Race (1.30 p.m.) on the 2nd Day.
There are 10 races on the 1st Day and 12 races on the 2nd Day (22 in all).

Through Tickets (22 Races—\$44.00) may be obtained at the Comptroller Office of the Club, 1st Floor, Telephone House, scheduled to be run on 31st May, 1952.
Through Tickets reserved for this meeting but not paid for by 10.00 a.m. on Friday, 30th May, will be sold and the reservation cancelled for future meetings.

THERE WILL BE NO SPECIAL CASH SWEEP ON THE LAST RACE
To avoid congestion at the Club's Offices at Telephone House, non-members are requested to purchase their sweep tickets at the Club's Branch Offices at—
5 D'Aguiar Street, Hong Kong
or
382 Nathan Road, Kowloon.

TOTALISATOR

The attention of Totalisator Investors is drawn to the following rules—
Dividends will be paid on the winning and placed ponies so declared by the Stewards when the "All Clear" is given. The "All Clear" signal will be indicated by a white light at the Totalisator Tower. BACKERS ARE ADVISED NOT TO DESTROY OR THROW AWAY THEIR TICKETS UNTIL AFTER THE "ALL-CLEAR" SIGNAL HAS BEEN EXHIBITED.
Totalisator Tickets should be examined and checked before leaving the Selling Counters as mistakes of any description cannot be rectified later.
Cash received in respect of Dividends should be checked before leaving the Pay-Out Counters as no claim for short payment of the value of tickets presented can be entertained once Investors have left the Counters.
All winning tickets and tickets for refunds must be presented for payment at the Race Course on the day to which they refer, but none will be paid later than one hour after the time for which the last race of the day has been scheduled to be run.
In no circumstances will any Dividends be paid or refunds made unless a ticket is produced. Payment WILL NOT be made on torn or disfigured tickets.

MEMBERS' BADGES AND ENCLOSURE
Members and guests are reminded that they and their ladies MUST wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.
NO ONE WITHOUT A BADGE WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.
Badges admitting ladies not in possession of Brooches or Season tickets and gentlemen, non-members of the Club, to the Members' Enclosure and the Club Rooms at \$10.00 per day including tax, for ladies or gentlemen are obtainable through the Secretary at Telephone House, on the written or personal introduction of a Member, such member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for payment of all bills, etc.
Only a limited number of badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will be on sale at the Race Course.
The Branch Offices and the Treasurers' Comptroller Office will close at 10.00 a.m. on both days. The Secretary's Office will close at 11.45 a.m. the 1st Day and at 10.00 a.m. and 2nd Day. The Treasurers' Comptroller Office and the Secretary's Offices are situated at 1st Floor, Telephone House.
A limited number of tickets will be obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Box (Tel. 27818).

NO CHILDREN WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE CLUB'S PREMISES DURING THE MEETING.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The Price of admission to the Public Enclosure will be \$3.00 per day including tax for all persons including Ladies and will be payable at the Gate.
Any person leaving the Public Enclosure during a Meeting will forfeit his or her right of admission to the Enclosure and will be required to pay the requisite fee of \$3.00 in order to gain re-admission.
No re-admission tickets will be issued.
BOOKMAKERS, TIC TAC MEN, ETC., WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO OPERATE WITHIN THE PRECINCTS OF THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.
MEALS AND REFRESHMENTS WILL BE OBTAINABLE IN THE RESTAURANT IN THE PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

SERVANTS' PASSES

Servants' passes will be issued to private box holders only, who are requested to distribute them with discrimination and to endorse their names on the passes. Holders of such passes are not permitted in the Members' Enclosure except for passing through on their duties and must remain in their employers' stands.
Owing to the congestion in the Members' Betting Hall and at Booths adjacent to Boxes in the Coffee Room, Box-holders and Members are requested to ensure that their servants make use only of the Public Betting Hall. Military Police will be posted at various points in the enclosure to ensure that this regulation is adhered to.

By Order,
H. MISA,
Secretary.

County Cricket

MIDDLESEX RETAIN THEIR LEAD THOUGH BEATEN BY LEICESTERSHIRE

London, May 27.

Middlesex retained their lead in the County Cricket Championship though beaten today by Leicestershire who gained their first win and points of the season.

Wins by their nearest challengers, Surrey and Yorkshire, however, cut Middlesex's lead of 20 points to eight.
Surrey, who won yesterday, lie second with 40 points and Yorkshire, victors today over Derbyshire, are third with 30 points.

Surrey and Yorkshire are in a strong challenging position, both having two games in hand of Middlesex's six.
Leicestershire and Northamptonshire occupy fourth place, each with 20 points.
Lancashire won today but Northants were beaten yesterday.

Lancashire have played only three games to Northamptonshire's four.
Wins by Hampshire and Worcestershire took them to equal sixth with 24 points each.
Derby slipped three places from fifth to joint eighth with Kent. Each have 20 points.
Gloucestershire and Gloucestershire share 10th place with 16 points each.

SUSSEX ARE BOTTOM

At the other end of the table Sussex are bottom with four points from four games with Nottinghamshire and Somerset four points above them.

Harold Halliday, who is not a recognised bowler, delivered his off-spinners with such fine judgment and accuracy that he claimed six Derbyshire wickets for 70 runs today.

His figures were easily his best since he came into the Yorkshire side.
Set to make 321 runs to win against Worcestershire, Warwickshire lost their first five batsmen for 33 runs today against hostile fast bowling by Perks and the 20-year-old left-hander Wilson.

NOTICE

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Whitsun Race Meeting
2nd Day

Races 4 and 12.—Battersea Park Handicap (1st & 2nd Sections)

The Handicap Weights in the above have been reduced 6 lb. all round.

The correct Handicap Weights will appear in the Race Book.

By Order,
H. MISA,
Secretary.

NOTICE

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Special Cash Sweep on the Hong Kong Derby

Hong Kong Derby
Saturday, 31st May, 1952

Tickets in the above at \$2.00 each may be obtained at the Treasurers' Comptroller Office, 1st Floor, Telephone House, and at the Club's Branch Offices situated at—
5 D'Aguiar St., Hong Kong
or
382 Nathan Road, Kowloon
Over 1,000,000 tickets sold to date.

H. MISA,
Secretary.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Special Cash Sweep on the Hong Kong Derby
Saturday, 31st May, 1952.

The Sale of Cash Sweep Tickets on the above will close at:

THE BRANCH OFFICE

382 Nathan Road, Kowloon at 4.00 p.m. on 30th May
5 D'Aguiar Street, Hongkong at 5.00 p.m. on 30th May

THE TREASURERS' OFFICE

Telephone House, Hongkong at 6.00 p.m. on 30th May

The Draw will be held in the Public Betting Hall, at the Race Course, at 12.00 o'clock NOON on Saturday, 31st May, 1952.

By Order,
PEAT, MARWICK, MITCHELL & CO.
Treasurers.

ON THE WINNING TEAM



HRH The Duke of Edinburgh with Lord Cowdray after their team had beaten Fernhurst in the final of the polo games played at Cowdray Park, Sussex. — Central Press Photo.

Wednesday Set For More Big Transfers

By DAVID JACK

Sheffield Wednesday, who made Soccer history by paying £35,000 for Jackie Sewell, are likely to make a similar splash in the transfer market before the 1952-53 season opens.

Wednesday will sign nothing but the best in an attempt to tighten up their defence—and the best, in their opinion, is Leeds United's pivot, John Charles.

I am also assured, by people who should know, that the former Chelsea manager will be quite happy to keep out of Soccer for some time—and almost certainly permanently.
Only 55,000 spectators—15,000 fewer than usual—watched the Rugby League Championship final at Leeds Road, Huddersfield, because, with Bradford Northern at the top of the table, custom demanded a Yorkshire final.

Charles' brother Melwyn, incidentally, is also due for a move. He scored 40 goals as Llanelli's centre-forward last season, and several League clubs have been watching his progress.

STILL PENDING

Checking on the report that Billy Birrell was being offered the Middlesbrough manager's job, I can tell you to take a large pinch of salt with the story. With Boro's chairman Harry French in Italy and other directors on tour in Ireland, the appointment will not be discussed for some time.

French Tennis Tournament

Paris, May 27.

Ken McGregor (Australia) beat Felicissimo Ampon (Philippines) 6-1, 6-1, 6-2 in the quarter-final of the French Lawn Tennis Championships here today.

McGregor's easy win came as a surprise since Ampon has been playing so strongly that he ousted Tony Trabert (United States), who was seeded fifth in the Championship, in three straight sets in the fourth round.

Another notable Australian win today was the victory of Frank Sedgman over Budgie Patty (United States). The score was 6-4, 6-2, 6-2.

WOMEN'S SINGLES

The results of the Women's Singles quarter-finals were as follows:

Miss Doris Hart (United States) beat Mrs Julia Wipplinger (South Africa) 6-0, 6-4.
Miss Dorothy Head (United States) beat Mrs Joy Mottram (Britain) 6-3, 4-0, 7-5.

Mrs Hazel Reddick-Smith (South Africa) beat Mrs Maria Weiss (Argentina) 6-3, 6-1.
Miss Shirley Fry (United States) beat Miss Jean Curry (Britain) 4-6, 6-0, 6-4.

In the quarter-finals of the Mixed Doubles, Ampon and Miss Arvilla McGulke (United States) beat Roger Ducud and Miss Anne-Marie Seghers (France) 6-1, 6-4.—Reuter.

THE GAMBOLE



Joseph Booth & Bros.
Standard Steam Travelling Jib Cranes,
Railway Breakdown & Main Line Type Cranes,
Railway & Warehouse Fixed Cranes.

ENGINEERING EQUIPMENT CO., LTD.
100, N. Shanghai Road, HONG KONG. Tel. 2-7710

CHINA MAIL

YOUR BEST
BEVERAGE BARGAIN
WATSON'S
TRU-FRUIT CORDIALS



Page 10

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 1952.

ITALY RECOVERS HER WAR-TIME SHIPPING LOSSES

Rome, May 27.
War cost Italy 90 per cent of her merchant marine but today her mercantile fleet again is seventh largest in the world with 3,363,118 tons.
Italy's total merchant shipping tonnage by 1941 had reached the 3,000,000 mark. Then war reduced it to 371,000 tons by September, 1945, according to the Ministry of Merchant Marine.
The shipping industry received a needed shot in the arm in 1949 when the government granted a large subsidy of 34,000,000,000 Lire (about \$54,400,000) to Italian shipyards.

S. KOREA SITUATION DISCUSSED

Munsan, May 27.
The UN Commission for the Unification and Rehabilitation of Korea today conferred with President Syngman Rhee on the political situation in South Korea.
An official release from UNCURK headquarters here said the UN Commission "is closely following political events in Korea" and conferred with President Rhee on "this subject."
But the release did not disclose any details of the meeting.
The Commission said it has been holding a series of meetings since yesterday to discuss the political developments in Korea.
The discussion apparently involved the arrest of several National Assemblymen which followed the proclamation of an emergency martial law on Sunday.

SECRET FUNDS
A South Korean government spokesman said yesterday that the Reds were sending "secret operational funds" into the Republic of Korea and that "several National Assemblymen were involved."
No official comment was made by the UNCURK representatives.
However, a source close to UNCURK here said they had expressed "deep concern" about the situation.
The Commission said it met this morning with Major-General Won Yong-duk, Martial Law Commander in the Pusan district. The General's report was not disclosed.
UNCURK is charged with following closely the development of democratic institutions in Korea. It was established on October 7, 1950.—Associated Press.

Racketeers Continue To Owe Taxes

Washington, May 27.
Senator John Williams told the Senate today that big-time Chicago racketeers, including members of the Capone family, had escaped or still owed almost \$1,000,000 in taxes, dating back to prohibition days.
He listed three cases which he said would help determine the accuracy or inaccuracy of his charges, that gamblers and gangsters got a better statement from tax collectors than the average taxpayer.
Senator Williams said Ralph "Bottle" Capone, brother of the late "Scarface" Al Capone, owed money in unpaid taxes and penalties on his income from 1922 to 1928.
He added that, as late as last January, Capone was trying to settle the claim "for a small fraction of the total amount due."
"The net result is that for the past 25 years the Federal government has been financing Ralph Capone's racketeering operations to the extent of \$98,000,000 without even collecting any interest," he said.
He also said that John "Greasy Thumb" Guzik, former paymaster for the Capone gang, was allowed to settle an \$802,000 tax claim for \$100,000.
He added that Al Capone, Guzik and other Chicago hoodlums were allowed to settle \$119,367 in unpaid beer taxes for \$30,000.—United Press.

With this aid, Italy had rebuilt 71.25 per cent of its merchant fleet by the end of 1949. By June 30, 1950, 78.02 per cent of Italy's mercantile tonnage was replaced, according to Paolo Capra, Minister of Merchant Marine.
Late figures show Italy's present tonnage is 3,363,118. Of this, 114,308 tons consist of vessels with sail or sail and auxiliary motors, according to the Ministry of Merchant Marine.
Of the 4,520 merchant ships afloat under the Italian flag, the largest number of them—3,200—are small sailing vessels, some with auxiliary motors.
The Merchant Marine Ministry announced that Italian shipyards are now constructing 212 additional ships of all sizes for an additional 411,000 tons.

OIL TANKERS
Plans also are being pushed to construct 250,000 tons of oil tankers.
The government is expected to contribute about 20 per cent of the cost of this construction, the Ministry said.
Despite several destructive wars, figures show that Italian shipping tonnage has more than tripled in the past 70 years.
In 1881, the Italian merchant marine consisted of a million tons. Fifteen years later, the tonnage had dropped to 800,000 tons. By 1931 the total tonnage had risen to 2,200,000 tons. It reached the 3,000,000 mark 10 years later only to drop to the low point of 371,000 tons at the end of World War II.
Of the total tonnage afloat, 60 per cent is less than 10 years old.
Italian figures say—England leads the world in total tonnage of merchant ships with 22,000,000 tons. The United States follows with 13,000,000, then Norway with 7,500,000; Panama with 5,000,000; Holland with 3,070,000; France with 3,000,000, and Italy with 3,363,118.—Associated Press.

Legionnaires Repatriated

Singapore, May 28.
Three German deserters from the French Foreign Legion have left Singapore in the Portuguese ship India for Hamburg, after detention in prison here for the past six months.
The Three Legionnaires—H. Rondo, 26 year-old steel moulder, R. Schulz, 22, bricklayer, and W. Schulz, 20, miner—made a dramatic bid for freedom last year, when they jumped overboard from their Indo-China-bound troopship Geradmer in Singapore waters.
After two hours in the water, they were rescued and brought to Singapore.
They said the treatment they received from the local authorities, even while in the remand prison, was "very kind." It contrasted with their life in the Legion.
The three hope to find jobs in Western Germany.—Reuter.

REDS RAID USIS OFFICE

Bordeaux, May 27.
Communist demonstrators broke into the United States Information Service library here tonight and tore up books and pamphlets in protest against General Matthew Ridgway and the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.
The demonstrators headed for the library after police had prevented them from holding an anti-Ridgway rally near the United States Consulate.
Police dispersed the demonstrators. There were no casualties.—United Press.

Queen Visits Chelsea Flower Show



A happy, smiling picture of Queen Elizabeth and her husband the Duke of Edinburgh (second from right), at the famous Chelsea Flower Show in London last week. — London Express.

Australia's Nest Of Traitors

Canberra, May 27.
There is "a small but extremely dangerous nest of traitors" in the Australian civil service, Mr. Richard Casey, External Affairs Minister, said today.

He said the Government had started a probe into the leakage over the Treaty of Commerce, Friendship and Shipping with the United States.
The document was printed by the Sydney Communist newspaper Tribune recently.
Government investigation into the leakage is still going on, Mr. Casey said in answer to questions in the House of Representatives.
There was an uproar in the Chamber when Liberal member William Wentworth asked when Dr. John Burton-Labour MP was visiting Peking for a "peace conference"—ceased to be head of the External Affairs Department with access to the document.
Mr. Casey said the leakage had been identified from a draft circulated to four of five departments about February 1950.
Mr. Burton ceased to be head of the External Affairs Department in mid-1950, and since the draft was not printed until late in 1951 Mr. Casey said he did not think the "gentleman in question has been responsible."
Mr. Casey added that the leakage of information was not so important in this case.—Reuter.

Russian Envoy Leaving

London, May 27.
The Soviet Ambassador in London, M. Georgi Zarubin, is leaving his present office and returning to Moscow early next month, an Embassy source told Reuter today.
M. Zarubin has been Ambassador to Britain since January 1947.
He paid a farewell visit to the Foreign Office yesterday, when he met Mr. Selwyn Lloyd, Minister of State for Foreign Affairs. Some reports had suggested that his visit to the Foreign Office was in the nature of a protest against the signing of the treaty with Western Germany in Bonn yesterday.
It is not yet known who will succeed M. Zarubin.—Reuter.

CLEARING FRONTIER SITES

(Continued from Page 1)
that no shots were fired at anyone, but the investigation was continuing.
An Army spokesman said unnecessary firing of weapons by American GIs along the border was an offence "definitely punishable by court martial."
One source said approximately 15 shots were fired, but neither the German nor the American authorities could confirm this figure. All sources agreed that there was no firing at anybody in particular on either side of the border.—United Press.

Businessmen To Advise Govt

Singapore, May 27.
The three Chambers of Commerce in Singapore are to form an Association of Chambers of Commerce to maintain close contact with the government and give advice on trade matters.
The association, it is stated, will not encroach on the individual functions of the three Chambers.
The Chambers are the Singapore Chamber of Commerce, which embodies European business firms, the Chinese Chamber of Commerce and the Indian Chamber of Commerce.—Associated Press.

Boatner Overhauls His Staff

Koje Island, May 28.
Brigadier-General H. L. Boatner personally completed overhaul yesterday (Tuesday) of the top level staff he hopes will help him straighten out the confused administration on the U.N. prisoner of war camp No. 1.
Gen. Boatner had the kidnapping of Colonel (then Brigadier-General) Francis T. Dodd by his own prisoners and the removal of Dodd's successor, Colonel (also Brigadier-General) at the time Charles F. Colson.
After two weeks on the job Gen. Boatner got a new Deputy Commander and Executive Officer.
Colonel Maurice J. Fitzgerald, Dodd's predecessor as Camp Commander since February, left Kojé yesterday for an assignment as a police adviser to the Korean government. He was replaced by Colonel Harold L. Taylor of Washington.—Associated Press.

Tried To Sell Hospital Chits

Instead of collecting \$3 each for two medical treatments, chits at Kowloon Hospital Clinic on May 27, Leung Fun, a 35-year-old female, collected a \$100 fine with the option of one month from Mr. K. Y. Yung at Kowloon Court this morning.
The prosecution said that Leung was seen outside the Clinic selling the chits to two Chinese females on May 27.

MR D. S. HILL'S ACCIDENT

Mr. D. S. Hill, a director of Reiss, Bradley and Co., Ltd., was knocked down by a taxi in Rome on May 13 and suffered a fractured thigh-bone.
Mr. Hill was going to a Rotary dinner when the accident occurred.
He was taken to San Giacomo Hospital in Augusta where he is expected to be for about 40 days.

Ex-Premier To Issue An Appeal

Bangkok, May 28.
The former Cambodian Premier, Son Noe Thanh, now acknowledged leader of the Free Cambodians, is preparing to send appeals to nations both of the free world and behind the Iron Curtain to use their influence to halt French retaliatory measures against Cambodian people who are not actively fighting the French.

The appeals will be transmitted to the United States, Britain, Soviet Russia, Communist China, India, Pakistan, Burma, Ceylon, Indonesia, the Philippines, Thailand and Japan, according to a Free Cambodian source.
The source said Son was now definitely in Cambodia amidst the Cambodian forces and added that if the French wanted to arrest him they should seek out the Free Cambodian troops.
Appeals will also be sent to the Secretary General of the United Nations and permanent delegates of the countries mentioned, the source continued.
Son's letter said Cambodia was now practically a "subdued country deprived of authority." He charged that since he had accepted the Free Cambodian leadership the French "have redoubled oppression and terror against the Cambodian people."
"Entire villages are burned, men subjugated, women maltreated, even cattle not spared," he wrote. "The people are subjected to unbearable vexations, death, misery and famine."
—United Press.

Radio Hongkong

H.K.T.
Programme Summary: 6.02, Children's Half Hour—Toy Town; 6.30, Music and Song of Vivian Ellis; 7.00, Lucky Dip—Variety Requests presented by the Radio; 7.30, Weather Report; 8.00, Time Signal and World News (London Relay); 8.10, The Royal Military Band conducted by Capt. Roccus Van Yperen; 8.30, Orchestra of the Week—Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra; 9.00, Book Talk by Ruth Kirby (Studio); 9.15, Vocal Recital; 9.30, Kismet; 9.45, Play by James Mordaunt (Studio); 10.15, News Item (London Relay); 11.15, Relay of the Derby; Commentary by Raymond Glenister (London Relay); 11.45, Weather Report, God Save the Queen, Close down.

Colonial Sec. At Magistracy

The Colonial Secretary, the Hon. R. B. Black, paid his first visit to the Central Magistracy this morning since his arrival in the Colony some months ago. He was accompanied by Mr. W. S. Winter, Supreme Court Registrar, Mr. James Wickes (First Kowloon Magistrate), Mr. Poon Yan-hoi, Mr. Hin-shing Lo and Mr. Thomas Tarn, (Central Magistrate), and Mr. Kong Man-tun, First Clerk.
Mr. Black, who was shown around the premises, spoke and shook hands with some of the members of the Court staff.

Sedition Trial Appeal: The Crown Replies

Further legal argument in answer to submissions by Counsel for the proprietor-publisher and editor of the Ta Kung Pao, well-known Chinese daily newspaper, was made this morning before the Full Court of Appeal by Mr. A. Hooton, Acting Solicitor-General.
The Ta Kung Pao is appealing against its conviction on a charge of sedition.

Both appellants were found guilty on May 6 by a Special Jury after a fifteen-day trial on a charge of publishing a seditious publication concerning the Government of this Colony in the Ta Kung Pao on March 5 last.
Fai Yi-ming, proprietor and publisher, was fined \$4,000 or nine months in default of payment of fine while Lee Chung-ying, editor, was fined \$3,000 or six months.
The Trial Judge, Mr. Justice Williams, also ordered, on application by the Crown, suppression of the Ta Kung Pao for a period of six months.
On May 17, the Full Court of Appeal stayed the order pending determination of the appeal or until such further order by the Court.
The Full Court of Appeal comprises the Chief Justice, Sir Gerard Howe, and the two Puisne Judges, Mr. Justice Gaud and Mr. Justice Rees.
The Hon. Leo d'Almeida, QC, Mr. Percy Chen and Mr. Brook Bernatchi are appearing for the appellants, and Mr. A. Hooton, acting Solicitor-General is for the Crown.
IMMATERIAL
Mr. Hooton quoted judgments made by several judges in the case of Rex v. Hughes.
How a person came before a Magistrate was quite immaterial in the eyes of the law in respect of the offence submitted by Mr. Hooton. In the present case, he said, there was a lawful charge on ex officio information, jurisdiction over the place of the offence, the Supreme Court, and there was jurisdiction over the time, it was brought within six months; there was also the Attorney-General's consent.
The jurisdiction to hear and to try was quite different from the jurisdiction to get a person before a justice, added the Solicitor-General.
Quoting a judgment of Lord Justice Coleridge, Mr. Hooton submitted that it meant that the illegality of the process affected the jurisdiction of the process, but could not affect the jurisdiction to try itself. If a person was called before a Magistrate and a charge was read of which he did not have the proper notice at the time, he should be granted an adjournment to prepare his defence. Failure to grant this adjournment would be a ground to quash his conviction, not the irregularity of the process of bringing him before the Court.

AG'S CONSENT
In the judgment of another Judge in the same case, Mr. Hooton said, it was held that the jurisdiction also did not depend upon the warrant, but it depended upon the filing of the information into Court.
In the present case it was necessary to have the Attorney-General's consent to give the Supreme Court jurisdiction to try and, in a way, it was necessary to give jurisdiction for the Judge to issue his warrant, said Mr. Hooton. The jurisdiction to try arose on the filing of the information, the appearance of the parties charged, the nature of the charges and in the present particular case, the time limit and the Attorney-General's consent. In the present case there could be no valid objection of the process because the process was not a necessary ingredient of conviction for that offence.
After quoting further cases, Mr. Hooton said that all through these cases "we get the theme that what really matters is what the person is charged with."
Summarising, the Solicitor-General said that jurisdiction of arrest and jurisdiction to hear a charge were completely different things. It was only if it was made a condition precedent of hearing a charge that it could affect the jurisdiction. If objection might be taken that there was an illegal process there should be an adjournment if that was necessary for a person to know what was charged against him.
Mr. Hooton said that he thought that if there was some irregularity which did not go to the root of jurisdiction, that could be waived by consent, but if it did go to the root nothing could be waived even by consent. In his submission, even if there was illegal process in the present case, that did not go to the root of jurisdiction of the trial. He did not suggest that any objection was waived—it was not waived, objection was taken strongly—but in his submission it did not matter. The only effect that might be given to it was to give an adjournment if such adjournment was necessary for preparing a case.
Mr. Hooton submitted that there could be no miscarriage of justice by not knowing what was against the defendants and not having an opportunity to prepare their defence.
The Solicitor-General next dealt with the second ground of appeal, viz. That the learned Trial Judge was wrong in ruling that issues of the Ta Kung Pao mentioned in the information were admissible in evidence.
Hearing is continuing.

Unlicensed Hire Boats

Five more rowing boat owners, whose craft were seized by the Police over the week-end at Lanchow Beach, were fined by Mr. T. B. Low at the Marine Court this morning for allowing their vessels out for hire without licences.
Defendants, who were arrested when they went to the Marine Police to claim ownership of the sampans yesterday, were fined \$50 each with the exception of Wong Ping-chung, 21, who was fined \$100 because he had two boats. The others were Lee Suk-kun, 25, married woman, Chow Fook, 26, Wong Wo, 23, and Kong Shun, 35.
Hearing against another defendant, Chan Kai, 31, who sent his wife to represent him, was adjourned for 24 hours.

INTELLIGENCE TEST SOLUTION
This is just an essay in factoring.
10.521 + 113 = 5700 + 120.25.
Clearly, the sum of number of coaches, and
23 trains went to Mufftown.
London Express Service.

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"I played with a bunch of experts and they didn't open their mouths once to let out a morsel of news—dumbest bridge I ever saw!"
Printed and published by Sze-wang An-nin Gint for and on behalf of South China Morning Post Limited, at 1-3 Wyndham Street, City of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong.